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SUMMARY.

At the International Conference on Cancer at Frankfort, Professor Leyden expressed hope of a cure for that disease.

He said experiments on animals justified the hope that it would be possible before long to successfully combat cancer.

A band of 500 Tuaregs attacked a British post at Lake Tchad, on the Nigeria border.

For two hours six native mounted infantry, under a black corporal, armed with carbines, defended the position.

Finally the black infantry repulsed the Tuaregs, and pursuing them, inflicted heavy losses.

The Russian Premier has announced his agrarian programme.

It is of so favourable a character that it has strengthened the Government.

The programme arrests general attention by its magnitude, and the chance offered for conciliating the peasants.

It is proposed to remove the disabilities of the peasants.

Provision is made for peasants getting fifteen million acres of State and eight million acres of private land.

The sale of fifty-five million acres in the Altai regions to Siberian emigrants at nominal prices is suggested.

The Terrorists have formed an organisation to liberate political prisoners.

Revolutionists at Warsaw are offering unemployed country lads 7½d for every policeman they murder.

General Apreleyeff was shot dead at his residence, Sochee, on the Black Sea. The murderers escaped.

The Transvaal new National Association advocates federation of South Africa, co-operation with the Boers, and complete self-government.

It also desires fair treatment of natives, abolition of racialism, and no further importations of Chinese.

South Africans are urged to unite and create a white nation fit to rank with Canada and Australia.

The Rev. Dr. Clifford has appealed to Britain to end the misrule of the King of the Belgians in the Congo Free State.

Mr. Taft, the United States Commissioner, in an ultimatum to the Cuban Moderate party asked it to listen to reason.

Otherwise he said a provisional military Government would be established.

The Moderate party thereupon agreed to negotiate with the rebels without requiring them previously to surrender their arms.

The points in dispute between the two parties have been referred to Messrs. Taft and Bacon for arbitration.

Twelve thousand American troops can be landed at Cuba within a week.

The secession resolution of the Western Australian Parliament is regarded by the "Morning Post" more as a grumble than serious intention.

Mr. W. H. James, the Agent-General for Western Australia, attaches little importance to the proposal.

He is sure that it does not represent the views of the majority of the electors.

A reception was held by Mr. J. W. Taverner at the Victorian Court at the Grocers' Exhibition at Islington.

Many Australians, several of the largest provincial grocers, and representatives of the War Office and Admiralty were among the guests

The visitors were greatly interested in the display of Victorian products.

The British and German postal authorities at Shanghai have chosen the Canadian route for mails instead of via Suez.

The South African Rugby football team opened its tour in England by beating the East Midlands by 37 points to nil.

At the London wool sales on Thursday prices were exceedingly firm.

The Prime Minister considers that the prospects of New Zealand accepting the reciprocity treaty are unfavourable.

Mr Deakin has got a communication from the New South Wales Premier regarding the Property Acquisition Bill.

The Federal Attorney-General, Mr. Deakin says, has commented on the points raised by Mr. Wade, and settled the issues.

The House of Representatives yesterday disposed of the Estimates and passed the Supply Bill.

Mr Watson proposed a reduction of £50,000 in the defence vote, and moved an amendment as a test.

He suggested that the details of the reduction be left to expert knowledge at the service of the Government.

Mr. Page (Queensland) said they were in a worse position regarding defence than at any time since federation.

Mr. M'Cay said that the best form of universal service was a universal cadet system.

The amendment was negatived, and the defence vote of £620,000 agreed to.

The Postmaster-General made a statement regarding the new telephone rates.

The Minister of Customs said that perhaps it would be well to prohibit the introduction of the African ant into Australia.

The rains yesterday had extended almost over all parts of the State.

Up to 164 points fell about Barringun and Brewarrina, and 2 inches at Quantambone.

Over an inch fell in the central localities and in parts of the south.

The falls on the coast were light.

Steamer traffic on the Upper Darling will be resumed after a long spell.

Floods have occurred in the Lancefield and neighbouring districts of Victoria.

The Morphettville racecourse, near Adelaide, was submerged on Thursday. The water in places was two feet deep.

The trouble in regard to the Hebburn and Abermain (Maitland district) collieries has not been disposed of.

The miners' president says that unless something is known this week regarding resumption of work on Monday the Newcastle men must take a holiday.

A railway engine was derailed at Rutherglen (Vic.) when crossing points yesterday.

Three boys confessed to placing stones between the point blade and the rail when playing after school.

The proposed reduction in railway season tickets will probably take effect from the beginning of next year.

Finger prints formed an important part of a case heard at the Sydney Quarter Sessions yesterday.

The Crown case rested upon the identity of finger tips found on a broken window.

Impressions were taken of the fingers of the accused, who in his defence set up an alibi.

The trial ended in the conviction of the accused.

Six species of fruit-fly parasites procured in India by Mr. G. Compere, of Western Australia, have reached Perth.

The twenty-fourth annual convention of the W.C.T.U. was opened yesterday at Goulburn.

About 100 delegates were present, and greetings were received from various parts of the world.

There was keen competition for best merinos and fine crossbreds.

The Jockey Club Stakes of 10,000 sovs was won by Mr. J. A. Rothschild's colt Beppo, by Marco—Pitti.

Four children named Hutt were burned to death by a fire in a cottage at Te Awamutu, New Zealand.

On 'Change yesterday very little business in investment stocks was transacted.

Budgery shares had much attention, with a slight reaction in values.

Good business was done in some of the leading Barrier stocks at firm prices.

PARO; TO PREPARE---WARD OFF. SOL--SOLIS; THE SUN.

PARASOLS AND SUNSHADES.
FARMER'S, VICTORIA HOUSE.

The first two lines sound somewhat like a Latin declension, and carry one back to Caesar and Livy. "Hic, Haec, Hoc," etc, do they not? But they are merely the supposed derivation of the word Parasol, which has now, however, given place to "Sunshade."

Speaking of Parasols, a clever writer in "The World and his Wife" says:—

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*BARBAROSSA	10,916	Langreuter	Jan. 5	Jan. 12
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*ORMUZ	6465	Shelford	Oct. 6	Oct. 9	Oct. 11
ORIENT	5458	Nicholson	Oct. 20	Oct. 23	Oct. 25
*ORONTES	6923	Rathven	Oct. 31	Nov. 6	Nov. 8
ORUBA	5858	Plimlett	Nov. 17	Nov. 20	Nov. 22
*OPHIR	6814	Coad	Dec. 1	Dec. 4	Dec. 6
*OMRAH	6282	Symons	Dec. 15	Dec. 18	Dec. 20
OROYA	6297	Parker	Dec. 29	Jan. 1	Jan. 3
*ORTONA	6930	Jenks	Jan. 12	Jan. 15	Jan. 17
ORMUZ	6565	Shelford	Jan. 26	Jan. 29	Jan. 31
OROTAVA	5858	Collins	Feb. 9	Feb. 12	Feb. 14
*ORONTES	6923	Rathven	Feb. 23	Feb. 26	Feb. 28
ORUBA	5858	Plimlett	Mar. 9	Mar. 12	Mar. 14
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MANUKA (Twin Screw), WEDNESDAY, October 24, at 3 p.m.
For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, BLUFF, HOBART, and MELBOURNE (transhipping to outports)—
WAIHARE, TO-DAY, SATURDAY at 1 p.m.
MANUKA (Twin Screw), SATURDAY, October 6, at 8 p.m. Transhipping at Wellington to Wairoa; noon for Lyttelton, Dunedin, Bluff, Hobart, and Melbourne.

TASMANIA.
For HOBART DIRECT.
ONAH, THURSDAY, October 4, at noon; and October 18, 25; November 8.
From HOBART—September 29; October 9, 19, 30.
For LAUNCESTON, via EDEN—
WAKATIPU, THURSDAY, October 11, at 10 a.m.
From LAUNCESTON—October 2.
For DEVONPORT, BURNIE, and STANLEY—
KAKAPO (Cargo only), TUESDAY, October 2, at noon (Druitt-street Wharf).

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For FIJI (Lautoka, Suva, Levuka), SAMOA (Apia), TONGA (Vavau, Haapai, Nukualofa), thence to Auckland—
NAVUA (Twin Screw), TUESDAY, October 16, at noon.
For TONGA (Nukualofa, Haapai, and Vavau), SAMOA (Apia), FIJI, thence to Sydney—
ATUA (Twin Screw), from Auckland, TUESDAY, October 16.
For FIJI DIRECT (Suva and Levuka), from Auckland—
MOURA (Twin Screw), WEDNESDAY, October 3.

EASTERN PACIFIC SERVICE.
For TAHITI and RAROTONGA—
MANAPOURI (from Auckland), TUESDAY, October 2.
FROM MELBOURNE.
For NEW ZEALAND PORTS, via HOBART and BLUFF—
MONOWAI, WEDNESDAY, October 3, at 2 p.m.
For DAUNCESTON—
LOONGANA (Turbine Steamer), October 3, 8, 12.
From LAUNCESTON—LOONGANA (Turbine Steamer), Oct. 2, 5, 10.
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MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE, LUCINDA, CHARLTON, MOURILYAN, CAIRNS, PORT DOUGLAS, COOKTOWN. WODONGA, TUESDAY, 11 p.m., October 2. ARAWATTA, TUESDAY, 7 p

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

CHEAP COMBINED RAIL AND RIVER EXCURSIONS.

TO-DAY AND ON EIGHT-HOUR DAY.
TO THE HAWKESBURY RIVER,
In connection with the Steamer GENERAL GORDON.

Train will leave Sydney this morning at 9.10 a.m., and on EIGHT-HOUR DAY at 9.10 and 9.18 a.m., from Milson's Point at 8.50 a.m. The river trip will occupy about five hours.
Return Fares from Sydney and Suburban Stations:—3s 6d First-class; 3s 6d Second-class.
Refreshments can be obtained on board the steamer at reasonable rates.

TO PARKESVALE (on the George's River).
TO-DAY (Saturday) Train will leave Sydney at 2.10 p.m., calling at all stations.
On EIGHT-HOUR DAY Tickets will be issued by all trains leaving Sydney for Como up to 11.40 a.m., but the steamer will leave Como for Parkesvale at 10.30 a.m. and 12.40 p.m. (only). 24 miles by rail and 16 by steamer.
RETURN FARES from SYDNEY (including steamer trip):—First-class, 2s 3d; second-class, 1s 6d.
Refreshments can be obtained on the ground at city prices.

TO THE NEPEAN RIVER (PENRITH).
Trains leave Sydney for Penrith TO-DAY at 8.25 a.m. and 1.25 p.m.
On EIGHT-HOUR DAY Trains will leave Sydney for Penrith at 8.25 a.m. and 10.15 a.m., and also 1.30 p.m. The steamer will only run as far as Euroka Creek on Eight-Hour Day.
Tickets issued at Sydney and Strathfield.
RETURN FARES (including rail, coach, and steamer): First-class, 6s 6d; Second-class, 4s.
Refreshments can be obtained on board the steamer.

COMBINED TRIPS TO HAWKESBURY AND NEWPORT, RETURNING VIA MANLY, AND VICE VERSA.
TO-DAY and on MONDAY NEXT Cheap Tickets at 8s 6d First-class, will be issued at Central and Sydney Booking Offices, also at Strathfield and Milson's Point stations, to include journey by rail to Hawkesbury, thence to Newport by steamer, from Newport to Manly by coach, and from Manly to Sydney by ferry.
Passengers will travel by 9.10 a.m. train from Sydney, and 8.50 a.m. train from Milson's Point.
Similar tickets will be issued at the Manly Ferry Wharf, Circular Quay, by steamer leaving at 9.30 a.m., and these passengers will make the trip in the opposite direction to those travelling from Sydney. The steamer from Newport will arrive at Hawkesbury in time to connect with the 4.16 p.m. train for Sydney to-day and on Monday, leaving at 3.50 p.m.
The tickets will be available for return for one week from date of issue.

EIGHT-HOUR HOLIDAY.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.

HOLIDAY EXCURSION TICKETS
will be issued from Sydney and stations in the metropolitan area to stations outside the metropolitan area, and vice versa, by all trains until Monday, October 1, available for return within one calendar month from date of issue.
CHEAP EXCURSION TICKETS.—In addition to the Cheap Tickets ordinarily issued on Saturdays, and Sundays (particulars of which are advertised in the Public Time-table Book), Similar Tickets at 2d per mile first-class return (minimum 2s) and 1d per mile second-class return (minimum 1s) will be issued by the undermentioned trains leaving Sydney to stations at which the trains are timed to call, available for return by any train within one calendar month from date of issue:—

TO THE SOUTHERN LINE.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY).—2.30 p.m., for Liverpool, Campbelltown, and Camden.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.—8.0 a.m. for Bundanoon.

TO THE ILLAWARRA LINE.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY).—2.47 p.m., for Otford, Bearborough, Bulli, Wollongong, Dapto, Albion Park, and Kiama; 2.57 p.m. for Nowra.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.—7.30 a.m. for Stanwell Park, Wollongong, and all stations thence to Nowra; 9.58 a.m. for Wollongong.

TO THE WESTERN LINE.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY).—1.10 p.m. and 2.30 p.m. for Penrith and all stations thence to Mount Victoria; 6.13 p.m. for Springwood, Lawson, and all stations thence to Mount Victoria.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.—7.50 a.m. and 8.10 a.m. for Springwood, and stations thence to Mount Victoria; 9.25 a.m. for Eskbank.

TO THE NORTHERN LINE.
TO-DAY (SATURDAY).—9.10 a.m. (8.50 a.m. from Milson's Point) for Gosford; 1.12 p.m. (12.50 p.m. from Milson's Point) for Newcastle.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.—8.15 a.m. (7.40 a.m. from Milson's Point) for Newcastle.

SIMILAR CHEAP TICKETS WILL ALSO BE ISSUED TO SYDNEY (ONLY) on MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, by following trains, available for one month.—
From stations Dapto to Wollongong, by train leaving Dapto at 6.8 a.m. (ex Nowra at 4.35 a.m.).
From stations Para Meadow to Helensburgh, inclusive, by train leaving Wollongong at 6.35 a.m.

COMO AND NATIONAL PARK.
On MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, the maximum return fare from Sydney, Eveleigh, and intermediate stations (including the Belmore Line) to Mortdale, Oatley, Como, Sutherland, Loftus, and National Park, will not exceed 1s 6d first-class, and 1s second-class, available for return on day of issue only.

ADDITIONAL AND ALTERED TRAIN ARRANGEMENTS FOR MONDAY, OCTOBER 1.
In addition to the ordinary service, and the cheap trains shown above, special trains will leave Sydney at 9.30 a.m. for Stanwell Park, Clifton, and Scarborough (only); 9.33 a.m. for Kiama; 8.0 p.m. for Bulli; 8.0 p.m. for stations Bulli to Nowra; 8.0 a.m. for Goulburn; 9.5 p.m. for Camden, Cooma, and Crookwell; 11.25 p.m. for Liverpool; 4.57 p.m. for Richmond; 11.27 p.m. for Richmond and Mt. Victoria; 9.10 p.m. for Gosford.
Return special trains from the different lines are announced on the handbills.
The 6.52 a.m. train, Liverpool to Sydney, WILL NOT RUN.
The 5.55 p.m. train from Blacktown to Sydney WILL NOT RUN.
The 9.25 a.m. local train from Penrith to Parramatta (connecting with the 10.27 a.m. train from Parramatta to Sydney) will be altered to leave Penrith at 10.25 a.m., and run correspondingly later.
The 3.2 p.m. train from Newcastle to Sydney will not call at Woy Woy and Hawkesbury River.

Alterations will be made in some of the early morning Workmen's trains on the several suburban lines, full particulars of which are announced on the Handbills.

CLOSING OF GOODS SHEDS.
ON EIGHT-HOUR DAY the following arrangements will be made, viz.:—
The Goods Shed at Alexandria will be closed, but the Goods Shed at Sydney and Darling Harbour will be open until 10.0 a.m. for the delivery of perishable traffic only.
The Goods Sheds at stations embraced in the county of Cumberland, viz, Sydney to Penrith, Windsor, Richmond, North Menangle, Camden, Hawkesbury River, Thirroul, Belmore, and Milson's Point, will be closed, except for the receipt and delivery of perishable traffic.

CLOSING OF CENTRAL BOOKING OFFICE.
On Monday next the Central Booking Office will be closed after 10.0 a.m.

For the convenience of passengers wishing to return to Sydney in time for business on Tuesday, October 2, trains will leave Nowra at 4.35 a.m., Goulburn at 5.0 a.m., Camden at 6.50 a.m., Gosford at 6.30 a.m., and Bowral, Victoria at 6.40 a.m.
Handbills, giving full particulars of times of trains, etc., can be obtained from all stationmasters.

INTERSTATE CHEAP EXCURSIONS.

SYDNEY TO ADELAIDE, MOUNT GAMBIER, AND BROKEN HILL.
MONDAY, OCTOBER 8.
CHEAP TICKETS will be issued at Sydney (only) to Adelaide, Mount Gambier, and Broken Hill by the 8.50 p.m. mail train on MONDAY, OCTOBER 8.
FARES FROM SYDNEY to ADELAIDE and MOUNT GAMBIER:—Single: First-class, £5/1; Second-class, £3 18s. Return: First-class, £9; Second-class, £6.
FARES FROM SYDNEY TO BROKEN HILL:—Single: First-class, £6 7s 6d; Second-class, £4. Return: First-class, £9 8s; Second-class, £6.
The RETURN TICKETS will be available for return (Express Trains excepted) within one calendar month from date of issue. Passengers may also return by the 8.30 p.m. Excursion Train leaving Adelaide on WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, connecting with the 6.15 a.m. ordinary train from Melbourne on FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, due Sydney at 8.0 a.m. on SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17.

SPECIAL CHEAP EXCURSION TO MELBOURNE.
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11.
A SPECIAL EXCURSION TRAIN will leave Sydney for Melbourne at 4.5 p.m. on THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, calling at the principal stations en route, and be due at Melbourne 11.32 a.m. next day.
FARES:—First-class: Single, £3 6s; Return, £5 10s. Second-class: Single £1 15s; Return, £2 10s. The Return Tickets will be available for return within one calendar month from date of issue, BUT NOT BY THE MELBOURNE EXPRESS. Passengers may also return by Special Excursion Train, which will leave Melbourne at 10.3 p.m. on THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22, due Sydney at 6.50 p.m. next day.
CHEAP TICKETS will also be issued from Western and Northern stations.
Handbills and further particulars from stationmasters.
By order of the Commissioners.
(1t-76) H. McLACHLAN, Secretary.

GOVERNMENT TRAMWAYS.
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29.
RANDWICK RACES.
A SPECIAL SERVICE will be run to the Racecourse from Circular Quay and Eddy-avenue (Railway Station), commencing at 11.0 a.m. The First-class tram will leave Bent-street at 12 noon.
RETURN FARE:—By ordinary tram (including admittance to course), 1s 6d; by first-class tram, 3s 6d. Single tickets will not be issued on the outward journey.

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CHAPTER XXVII.—Continued.

When the shadows were again lengthening on the land the train that began its journey by the grey ruins of Gammersby Castle and would end it on the edge of Branxty Harbour rumbled round the curve, and, halting at The Bridge, dropped the young shipowner and the little skipper on the platform. In silence they crossed the river, but when they struck the Mill Field byway, and beheld the snow-white flash of the cataract beyond the green and farther back the tangle of brake and thicket and steep-poised wood, and away in the rear of the fells the misty mountain horns, memories that for years had soundly slumbered awoke and became articulate.

"D'ye remember that morning when you and I came through the fields together, Cap'n Dan, long, long ago?" David asked.

"Ay, we were going to see Missy, an' you carried the Chinee idol over your shoulder, an'—an'——"

"And you sang 'Rio' as though it was you who were the boy. Sing it again, Cap'n Dan, sing it again, just as you did then."

"Sing 'Rio,' Davie. Ay—well, ay—if you want me to."

"Oh, never mind," Davie begged, detecting hesitation in the tone, "I ought not to have asked it. You must be dog tired."

"Oh, it's not that, Davie, it's not that. You see 'Rio's a grand chanty when you've got the windlass manned and the voyage is before you, but I never fancied it so much when I was making the home port."

"No? What did you sing then?"

"The Doxology, boy."

There was no sting of intent in the words, but on David's ears they fell with all the force of rebuke, and he made no response, but glanced away towards the hills where Margery dwelt, and thought of all that she had done for him and the creature he might have become. Not until they had crossed the plank bridge at the head of the mill-race and touched the foot of the Brows did he make his reply, and then—

"I'd like to sing it now, Cap'n Dan."

"Sing what?"

"The Doxology, please. You and I together."

Dan's face flushed with delight. Reverently he took off his hat, David following suit, and the two voices, one lusty with life, the other cracked by years of use, burst into thanksgiving—

Praise God from whom all blessings flow,
Praise Him all creatures here below,
Praise Him above ye Heavenly host,
Praise Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.

And again, as on that other long dead day, the rabbits lay low in the underwood and the birds hopped to the higher branches, and the white-haired woman waiting in the old home on the top of the hill flung wide the door, and strained her ears for the sound.

"It canna be him," she cried. "Nothing but a mirrikle could have browt him back ceah soon. An' yit—it is him, it is. My oan laddie's back agen, an' aw mun be reet or he'd nut be singing' 'Praise Him.' What can it mean?"

The voices died away, but she could hear the crunch of the fallen twigs and the swish of the branches as they drew nearer. When at last they emerged from the cover of the trees and beheld her, Cap'n Dan again plucked his hat from his head, and waved a joyous signal. But David dashed across the lawn, flung his arms around the woman who had tried so hard to fill his mother's place, and kissed her. Then, without a word, he passed into the house.

Blowing like a grampus, Cap'n Dan trotted to the door, and of him Bella demanded the news.

"Hooray, hooray," he panted; "Glory be to God. Miss Margery's licked the divil—raked him fore an' aft. T' Daniel's lost—Davie's saved—an'—an'—here we are."

The details of the story David himself filled in. This was part of the penance on which he insisted, that, as far as possible, he should be the instrument of his own humiliation. A little later he mildly rallied Bella on her share of the drama.

"That's one of the things I can't get over," he assured her; "when Barney Rigg came with his cock-and-bull yarn about the Daniel you knew what it meant, what they intended to do with me, and yet you allowed me to walk blindly into the trap. It's past understanding. You were always a fairly hard one, but——"

"Ay," she grimly interrupted, "soft-heartedness isn't oalus a proof of luv. When I was a lass I used to think my mother a mighty cruel thank', but what I'm gay set up noo that she licked me seah weel and seah often. The ways of the Lord are wounerful, laddie. Im thinkin' that yan o these days we'll aw be thankin' Him for His skelpin's. Eh, what a pack o' children we aw are, wid oor tantrums an' oor pretendin' that we can't tell mire fra solid groond. It's amazin' hoo the Lord fashes Himself aboot use nat aw. I wadn't; where fwolk tummelt I'd let 'em lee."

"Listen to her, Cap'n Dan," David cried; "d'ye hear that? Why, she'd run to help them up."

He threw back his head and broke into a gleeful laugh, and Bella's face relaxed its set, dimpling into a smile. That laugh was David's own, the first she heard since Michael Strang spread his net, and it flooded her heart with the joy of content.

Now, in their innocence Bella and Cap'n Dan regarded the victory as complete, and only to Margery had David revealed the gap that must be filled before he could proclaim himself satisfied. That night, when Margery retired to her room, she lifted her ring from the breast of the yellow god, held it for a while, and then replaced it, softly whispering:—

"Not yet, little god, not yet. You must keep it for me until everything is made known. The mystery of the Habakkuk is still to be explained. David's name still bears that horrid blot. Not yet, David says, not yet."

CHAPTER XXVIII.

GOLD, POWERLESS GOLD.

From behind the clinging folds of the bedraggled winter curtains Michael Strang peered into the drab dulness of the narrow, deserted street. Around the bend in the distance, just beyond old Towse's school house, a man briskly swung, and Michael Strang drew back into the corner, and holding the curtain edge watched him until he had passed.

"Not this time," he muttered, "not this time." His hands were as reeds in the wind.

The room was that into whose unhealthy gloom a dozen years ago Jimmy Rule flung his deathbell call, and within its four walls naught but the man who owned them was changed. The same paper—patterniess, and yet, to the eye, hardly more grimy than then; the same pictures of men and women and ships in full sail or pointing away on a long tack; the same tarnish on the gilded frames; the same strip of druggot over the same shabby carpet.

But the man—how different. Straight as an arrow then, now his back is weakly bending to a burden heavier than the years. Complacency and self-control shrivelled to a skimpy, worthless scrap; suspicion and terror ruling all his hours.

Away in that other year, when the deathbell rang, and the boy waited the unfolding of destiny, Michael Strang vowed his vow. To-day, in this room wherein that vow was born, he lingers yet again, and now the name the dead man bore is dishonoured, the fame of the boy is blighted, rag he has verily rent from rag, but his triumph is as ashes, tasteless as Dead Sea fruit.

Listening, listening, watching, watching. Every footfall proda his heart, every figure crossing the circumscribed horizon of the street, stirs him to panic. One sentiment supreme—fear of exposure—he has become a mere hermit, locked in his own house by the hidden hand that wrote those notes of accusation, besieged by an invisible foe whose name he knows not, whose form, it may be, he has never seen. In such circumstances he holds all men suspect, and so he slays within his fortress, sometimes sitting the day through in brooding agony, sometimes rambling from the cellar where his gold is stored to the attic, where The Captain lodges at nights, up and down, never at rest; but oftenest lurking behind the curtains in the big front room—watching, listening, fearing.

Through all these days of mental warfare The Captain silently, unobtrusively assumes control, the drudge in the kitchen, the brain and eye among the ledgers in the upstairs den. He it is who cleans the house—so far as the place may be said to be cleaned at all—who cooks the spare meals and serves them; he also who keeps the books, arranges freights, meets the incoming ships, and sees the outward bound away from the shelter of the bour to the Firth. Without design, almost without volition, Strang lays the burden of all he carries, save his conscience and his terror, upon the grotesque being whom he has starved and slaved and turned to derision. And The Captain comes and goes, and toils harder than ever, and when he looks at his broken tyrant, the old, hard, unfeeling cast of his features becomes oddly relaxed and into the solitude of his garret room new thoughts poke their presence.

So rarely does Strang stir abroad lest that unknown enemy should hail him in the open and denounce him there and then, that for most of his news of the outside world he is dependent on The Captain. But, in conversation, The Captain exercises an economy most rigid, and the men of the Daniel have been home for a week and Strang never a whit the wiser.

Knowledge comes to him on the day that sends Goliath stalking past the house. Peering round the curtain Strang watches the giant as long as he is in sight, and then he goes in search of The Captain, whom he finds in the cellar kitchen, his cheese-cutter cap on his head, sleeves rolled up, and floury arms pounding a baking of bread.

"Didn't you tell me that the Daniel had sailed for the Black Sea?" he asks.

"Ay."

"Well, but I've just seen Goliath go by."

"Dare say." The Captain bestows a final pat to a loaf, drops it in a tin, and then concludes, "Daniel's gone down."

"What?"

"Gone down."

"The Daniel lost—when?"

"Six days out."

"And the men?"

"Landed in their boats."

(To be continued.)

CHESS.

Hon. secretaries of chess clubs are invited to furnish news of general interest. Unpublished games and original problems in diagram (which should be accompanied by analysis) are always acceptable.

THE "SYDNEY MORNING HERALD" TWELFTH INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM TOURNEY.

PROBLEM No. 916.—"Regicide."
Black (7 Pieces).

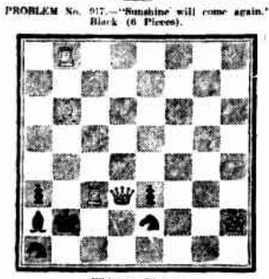
White (13 Pieces).

White to play and mate in two moves.
Forsyth Notation Modified.—6b, 1n, 1rP, 5R, 5QP, 2kb, 1PBp, 2r, 4KP, 1P, 1N, 2B, 2N, 1B, 1b.

Key.—Counting from Black's QR square, the initial letter of piece in put for the square occupied thereby. Numerals denote intervening blank squares. Black pieces in small type.

THE "SYDNEY MORNING HERALD" TWELFTH INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM TOURNEY.

PROBLEM No. 917.—"Sunshine will come again."
Black (6 Pieces).



White (5 Pieces).

White to play and mate in two moves.
Forsyth Notation Modified.—1R, 15B, 22p, 1RQp, 2bk, 2n, 2Kn, 7.

PROBLEM No. 906.—Key, QB7.
Correct solutions from: Once More, J. C. Warner, E. C., F. P., F. Smith, J. M. C., J. W. Ryan, J. W. Hillyer, J. Harvey, H. Roper, E. A. D., O. Hagman, T. P., J. D. Williams, C. A. W.

PROBLEM No. 907.—Key, PB4.
Correct solutions from: Once More, E. M., Fry, F. R. Smith, J. M. C., J. W. Ryan, J. W. Hillyer, J. Harvey, H. Roper, T. P., J. D. Williams, C. A. W.

Correct solutions not above acknowledged have reached us too late to score in tourney. They will, however, be mentioned in our next issue.

"HERALD" TWELFTH INTERNATIONAL PROBLEM TOURNEY.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" twelfth international problem tourney. Conditions: (1) Competitors may send in as many original problems in diagrams, accompanied by full solutions, as they please. "White to play and mate in two moves." (2) Each problem to have a nom-de-guerre or motto. The composer's name and address to be enclosed in a separate sealed envelope, with the like motto. Seals will not be broken until the awards are made. (3) Each problem to have but one author, not to have competed in any other tourney, or been published before. (4) Problems to be addressed "The Editor, the 'Sydney Morning Herald,' Sydney, Australia," and reach this office by December 1 next. The prize we offer for the problem that the judge (Mr. H. J. Young, of Hobart, Tas.) deems best is five guineas. Should he so recommend, two special prizes will also be awarded. Further competing conditions to hand:—Jongens-streken, Meisjes-streken, En Prize, Bluecoat Boy (25).

OUR NEXT SOLUTION TOURNEY.

The "Sydney Morning Herald" 47th solution tourney opens with October. Conditions: Solutions, the unaided work of solvers, must reach this office by Monday fortnight after the appearance of problems, which are limited to one-two move a week. The key position only need be given. In the case of unsound problems, if there is no solution a statement to that effect is necessary; if more than one, any one of them will score. Special section: Conditions same as above, but all problems appearing during the quarter (13 weeks) are included, and a point given for each key of an unsound problem with more than one solution. We have pleasure in offering a memento in each section to the highest scorer or scorers. Nom-de-guerre may be used, but name and address must accompany the first solution. As complaints reach us from time to time of letters going astray, competitors in sending current solutions are recommended to repeat those of the previous week.

SYDNEY SUBURBAN C.U.

MOSMAN v ST. JOHN'S.
(B Grade.)

Mosman.—(1) Mr. Harrison 1, (2) Mr. Wendt 1, (3) Mr. Power 0, (4) Mr. Virgin 1, (5) Mr. Oertel 0, (6) Mr. Shaw 1, (7) Mr. Fry 1; total, 5.

St. John's.—(1) Mr. Tracey 0, (2) Mr. Marshall 0, (3) Mr. Sherwood 1, (4) Mr. Spiers 0, (5) Mr. Wotton 1, (6) Mr. Bergman 0, (7) Mr. H. Wotton 0; total, 2.

NOTES.

The Mosman C.C. has changed its place of meeting to Parkinson's rooms, Spit-road Junction, Wednesday is the club evening. A handicap tourney commences with next week, and the hon. secretary will be pleased to hear from residents of the suburb desirous of joining the club.

The St. Leonards C.C.—Much interest is taken in club doings. In the handicap tourney scores to date are:—Campbell, 7-2; Amor, 6½-½; Greenaway, 6-1; Brown, 5½; Cocks, 4½; Rossell, 4-3; Last, 3½; M'Kay, 3-7; Welch, 3-10; H. Watt, 2-4; F. Watt, 2-5; Hill, 2-6; Vilbert, 1½-6½; Dymock, 1-1. Weekly team matches.—Scores to date are:—M'Kay, 18½; Greenaway, 18; Campbell, 15½; Welch, 13½; Vilbert, 13; Last, 13½; Amor, 8; F. Watt, 6; Hill, 5½; H. Watt, 5½; Louden, 5½; Lobban, 5½; Coeth, 3½; Dymock, 3½; Fraser, 3½; Brown, 3; Greir, 2½; Rossell, 1½. Weekly team matches.—M'Kay, 174-121; Welch, 16-12; Greenaway, 153-91; Campbell, 13-16; Vilbert, 114-104; Last, 11-10; H. Watt, 6½-4½; Hill, 6-3; F. Watt, 4½-14½; Amor, 4½-17½; Louden, 4-11; Fraser, 4-2; Dymock, 4-3; Coeth, 4-5; Brown, 3½-5½; Lobban, 3½-4½; Rossell, 3-6; Greir, 1-6.

The championship of America, rendered vacant by the death of Pillsbury, will probably be the subject of an interesting contest. The Western C.A. of Chicago has, we understand, invited Barrie, Bigelow, Delmar, Elliott, Finn, Fox, Helms, Marshall, Napier, Schraeder, Shipley, Showalter, Smith, Stacy, and Young to compete. Some of the names are those of lesser lights, but all the stars of the first (American) magnitude are included.

Australia in International Chess.—Curiously enough our note on the advisability of sending Mr. Viner to compete in a tourney of the first-class coincided in point of time with a meeting for that very purpose in Perth.

The Nuremberg Tourney.—Marshall came first (12½-3½), Janowski 11, Duras (11), 4000 was next, and Forgacs and Schlechter tied for third place with 10½. Tschigorin with 10 was fifth (4200). This is the first time since Cambridge Springs in 1904 that Marshall has headed an international tourney.

The B. C. F. Congress at Shrewsbury.—At the end of the eighth round the scores were:—Atkins and Michell 6, Wainwright 5½, Blackburne, Lee, Tylor, and Shoosmith 5, Wahltuch 4, Mercer 3, Brown and Stammond 1½, and Parry 1.

The Italian Chess Congress will be held at Milan this year, and large entries are expected. The competitors will be divided into two classes, masters and amateurs, with five and four prizes respectively, totalling 3000 lire.

A PILLSBURY GEM.

Played in the Hastings Tournament, 1895. The finish of this game from the 20th move onwards was one of the late player's happiest efforts in the tournament, and is a good example of his forcible play:—

(Queen's Gambit Declined.)

White, H. N. Pillsbury.		Black, A. Burn.	
1.	PQ4	PQ4	
2.	PQB4	PK3	
3.	KtQB3	Kt(KB3	
4.	BK(t)5	BK2	
5.	PK3	Castles.	
6.	Kt(KB3	PQKt3	
7.	BQB	BQKt2	
8.	PxP	KtxP	
9.	PxP	PxP	
10.	Kt(xKt	BxKt	
11.	BQB	BQB	
12.	P(K4	BKt2	
13.	P(K5	Kt(Q2	
14.	QK2	PQR3	
			15. RQB3 PxP(5
			16. KRQB PQKt4
			17. QK3 RB3
			18. QB3 QRQB
			19. PK5 PQB4
			20. BxP ch KxB
			21. Kt(K5 ch KK1
			22. RR8 QK
			23. QR3 Kt
			24. Kt(R7 ch Kt
			25. Kt(B6 ch Kt
			26. Kt(xQ PxKt
			27. QK(t) PxP
			28. RR8 ch Resigns.

THE SCHEVENINGEN TOURNEY.

Spielmann v. Marshall.—Played in the 8th round of the Scheveningen tournament.

(Petroff Defence.)

White—Spielmann.		Black—J. Marshall.	
1.	PK4	PK4	
2.	Kt(KB3	Kt(KB3	
3.	Kt(xP	PQ3	
4.	Kt(KB3	Kt(xP	
5.	PQ4	BK(t5	
6.	PQ5	Kt(Q2	
7.	Kt(B3	Kt(xKt	
8.	PxKt	QB3	
9.	QQ3	Castles	
10.	Kt(Q4	Kt(B4	
11.	OR(5	QKxch	
12.	BK3	PxQP	
13.	QRRt	BK2	
			14. BQB4 QxP
			15. RKB	RBK
			16. KQ2	RB8
			17. KRK4	Kt(Kxch
			18. KQ2	Kt(xPch
			19. BxKt	QKxch
			20. KQ2	BxB
			21. KB	BxR
			22. RQ6	QKtch
			23. KK(2	PQR3
			24. RxQBP	RK2
			Resigns.	

A SECRET.

The secret of PEARS' SOAP is that it has no excess of alkali in it. No matter how much you may use it, you cannot roughen the skin with it.—Advt.

CURRENT LITERATURE.

THE GUARDED FLAME.

Mr. W. B. Maxwell reaches the highest mark which he has yet attained in "The Guarded Flame" (Methuen and Co.), a copy of which reaches us from the Sydney Book Club. The story is marked by strength and by repression. It has the air of a simple record of events in the life of a great man; a record which relies for its interest on the events, not on the way in which they are recorded. There is no effort after the picturing of pathos or dignity or pain or joy; these things are there in the lives we are watching. They come naturally.

Richard Burgoyne, the only survivor of a band of great scientists, married when he was near his sixties a girl in her twenties. She loves him as the man who is held in high esteem by the world, and she devotes her life happily to surrounding him with all the care and affection that her loving heart and gentle nature and resourceful mind can suggest. Tyndall, speaking of Cliff Lodge, the house in which Burgoyne lived, called it the lighthouse. "I like to think," he said, "of that cliff tower above our southern sea, from which the flame of truth has shed amidst the darkness of so many years its steady radiance." It was to the keeping this flame alive, the guarding it, that Sybil Burgoyne lovingly devoted her happy life. Both husband and wife recognised this.

She had been reading for a quarter of an hour, and the flame from the guttering stump had begun to leap and flicker. Leaning forward, she was about to blow out the flame, when her husband's hand upon her arm checked her. He was not asleep; he had been watching the candle.

"Don't," he pleaded, "don't blow it out." And his voice had the tone of a man speaking to himself, and he went on drowsily murmuring, "That would seem almost cruel—so near the end. No. Don't do that, dear. It will last a long time yet—quite a long time yet—if we are careful."

Then the reading was continued.

For a quarter of an hour, for half an hour, for nearly an hour, Mrs. Burgoyne read on in her even, musical, soothing voice. Then, just as a shadow seemed to fall upon the page, her husband spoke again.

"Look! The candle-end! Look. Only now—a long time."

Suddenly, as she laid down the book, sadness filled her heart. He had been symbolising his life—all of life that was left to him; the little guarded flame that fights the darkness. Stooping over him, she kissed his forehead and whispered, in a tone of extraordinary tenderness,

"Pickon!"

"My clever Sybil," and he took her hand and patted it.

The house which was made beautiful by this tender love had also for inmates Effie Vincent, a grandniece of Burgoyne's, a girl in her late teens, and John Stone, his secretary. Effie is a charming girl, and the old philosopher sees with pleasure that she has fallen in love with Stone, a brilliant young student, who honours Burgoyne above everything else in the world, and who is proud to be of assistance to him in his work, even though this means the sacrifice of his own prospects in life. It was Stone who said of Burgoyne's workroom, "So this is where the Spirit sits brooding over Chaos," and the great man was human enough to appreciate the saying. Stone did much to help, and his affection and reverence for the old man were such that even Mrs. Burgoyne admitted him to be a valuable assistant. So when Effie's secret was no longer a secret to her great-uncle, it was gladly welcomed, and Burgoyne set immediately to work to see how Stone was disposed in her regard. Here everything went smoothly, and the two were engaged to be married. The only discordant note was struck by Mrs. Burgoyne, and she had really nothing to urge against the match. Only the engagement and the sight of the courtship of the young couple made her think of her own grey youth and of her marriage. Why had love not come to her? Why had her life been so empty of emotion? She was but in her early thirties, and retained her charms. Was love the mere sexual passion, the "agent of destruction" of the old philosophers? Was the feeling of a young girl awaiting her sweetheart's approach merely the exhibition of "a heightened and fuller action of lungs, heart, and, indeed, of the whole vascular mechanism"?

Of course love came to her, and the chain of the flesh bound her. She had resented Stone's engagement to Effie because, without knowing it, she loved Stone. He, it soon appears, had all along loved her, and he had only consented to the engagement because Burgoyne's heart seemed to be set upon it. Now his reverence for the master was overwhelmed by his love for Sybil, and she yielded to him and deceived her husband, hoping shamelessly for his death. Stricken by paralysis, Richard Burgoyne was easy to deceive; but one night, by a superhuman effort, he surprised the guilty pair—in his workroom, in the place where the Spirit used to sit brooding over Chaos. But speech failed him, and it was part of Sybil's punishment that for years she had to stand by and wait for the denunciation which must come with the return of the gift of speech. Her paramour had fled away to die, and poor Effie, who somehow had learnt of her lover's faithlessness to her and treachery to the master, committed suicide. One remembers the use to which the French novelist has put this situation—a guilty pair trembling before a speechless paralytic who has discovered their secret. Sybil was not to know for years whether the man she had wronged remembered her treachery, and therein lay both her punishment and her purification.

We have traced merely the outline of this fine work of art, which would be valuable if only for the central figure of Richard Burgoyne. But the canvas in crowded with other figures—grave persons and gay, unconscious humorists who have their little part in the drama, great personages and harbors and villagers moving naturally about. They all help to bring out the greatness and the humanness of the story.

A HISTORY OF EGYPT.

"A History of Egypt from the Earliest Times to the Persian Conquest," by James Henry Breasted (Charles Scribner's Sons), is a valuable contribution to a most interesting subject. Dr. Breasted is Professor of Egyptology and Oriental History in the University of Chicago and Director of the Haskell Oriental Museum. He spent some time in exploring and collecting on the Nile for his University, and in 1900 he was appointed on a year's mission to the museums of Europe by commission of the four Royal Academies of Germany to copy and arrange the Egyptian inscriptions for the Egyptian Dictionary, in the compilation of which these academies were engaged by Imperial command. He is thus an Egyptian scholar of European as well as American celebrity, a scholar, moreover, who has seen for himself the marvellous records which make the past live for us. The more technical results of Professor Breasted's studies and investigations are to be found in his four-volumed "Ancient Records of Egypt: The Historical Documents," published last year, and the handsome and well-illustrated volume before us is mainly a connected narrative, in which will be found the main features of successive epochs, and graphic descriptions of the modes of life and of the leading personages recorded in the wonderful history of this wonderful country. The maps and the numerous other illustrations are themselves an education. It is not, for instance, an exaggeration when the author says of the reproductions of stereographs of Egyptian monuments that "the system of travel represented in these beautiful stereographs makes possible to every one a voyage up the Nile which falls little short of the actual experience itself." To which it may be added that the mind stored with the erudition displayed so gracefully in this book will find Egypt and Egyptian scenery and Egyptian inscriptions and monuments amongst the most fascinating of studies.

And how far back the connected history of Egypt goes may be gathered from the interesting landmark furnished in "the earliest fixed date in the history of the world as known to us." That was 4241 B.C., when the calendar year of 365 days was introduced. Of course, this implied a considerable amount of civilisation and knowledge on the part of the people of the Delta, one of the two kingdoms into which the Egyptians had coalesced when they were tired of the smaller kingdoms which had marked the period which followed the archaic age of primitive civilisation. Following the introduction of the Calendar come some dozen epochs enumerated by Professor Breasted, from the Predynastic Age, before 3400 B.C., away through the Dynasties, the Empire, the Decadence, and the Restoration, to the Persian conquest, 525 B.C. And if these dates do not impress, the antiquity of Egypt may perhaps be appreciated when it is noted that the Pharaoh of the Biblical narrative, the Pharaoh who oppressed the Hebrews, was Ramses II. of the Nineteenth Dynasty, who reigned 1292-1225. For those who are curious about the manner of man this Pharaoh was in appearance, we have two interesting illustrations in the book. One of them is the black granite statue which is the pride of the Turin Museum, of which Professor Breasted observes that "nothing better was ever produced by the Egyptian sculptor." He is represented in all the pride of his youth and imperial power. The other is the actual face from the mummy. Ramses II. himself is before us—an old man of over 90, in whose strong face and determined mouth one recognises the master of men.

It was three centuries before Ramses II. that there reigned in Egypt "the first great woman in history of whom we are informed." This was Hatshepsut, the daughter of Thutmose I. and the wife, co-regent, and successor of her half-brother, Thutmose III. Hatshepsut had a lot of trouble in her time, and her enemies pursued her after her death. It was in vain that she recorded her great deeds, and ordered her name and her figure to be handed down to posterity on relief-scenes and so forth. "But in her splendid temple," as Dr. Breasted says, "her fame still lives, and the masonry around her Karnak obelisk has fallen down, exposing the gigantic shaft to proclaim to the modern world the greatness of Hatshepsut." And this is all that remains of the expeditions and the achievements of the first great woman in history. The Egyptians had the usual objection to the monstrous regiment of women, but for all that women held a high position in social life, and at one period of their history, at any rate, descent was reckoned on the distaff side.

Professor Breasted tells us much of the treatment of the dead at different epochs. Indeed, we moderns cannot be sufficiently thankful to the deep affection which Pharaohs and their successors and their Ministers felt for their own persons—an affection which prompted them to the preparation and preservation of those mummies which have been put to such admirable if undesigned use. We are told also of how in the Middle Kingdom or the Feudal Age, it was believed that the dead man had to stand the ordeal of a trial before Osiris and his 42 assistant judges. To each of these assistant judges he had to plead guilty or not guilty of such sins as murder, stealing, deceit, false witness, reviling, eavesdropping, and sexual impurity; and upon his answers depended his reward or punishment. And, just as it was to Egypt that Greece was largely indebted for her advance in civilisation, so it was from the Egyptians, Professor Breasted thinks, that the Hebrews derived "the form and to a surprising extent the content of Messianic prophecy," the learned giving to the old form a higher ethical and religious significance.

Our copy of this interesting book comes from the Sydney Book Club.

TO TSUSHIMA.

Last week the detailed account of the Dogger Bank incident, given by the late engineer-in-chief to Admiral Rozhdestvensky's fleet, Eugene S. Politovsky, was published in the "Herald." That is naturally the part of his book—"From Libau to Tsushima," translated by Major F. R. Godfrey (John Murray)—which most appeals to the English reader; but the narrative as a whole is deeply interesting. For one thing, the book is the first detailed account of the voyage of the ill-fated fleet which has been published. It was written, moreover, by a man who was on the inside. M. Politovsky was engineer-constructor of the fleet, and in that capacity, which necessitated his frequent visits to various ships in the squadron, he had an opportunity of making himself thoroughly acquainted with everything that was going on. And, again, the contents were not meant for publication. They are a series of letters written to Madame Politovsky, and they are marked with all the freedom which naturally characterises confidential communications of the kind. The writer was evidently an ardent patriot, and just as evident it is that he was no friend of the bureaucrats, to whose mismanagement he attributed the successive defeats of Russia at the hands of Japan. He was especially angry with the people in authority of whom he knew most—with the Admiralty, and the officers of the navy. The officers were, according to him, as conceited as they were incompetent:—

Russia may not ask the naval officers, "Where is the navy that was built by the sweat of millions of Russian people? What has it done? Has it done harm to the enemy? Will it help the fatherland? Will it add to the glory of Russia?" Oh, no! You must not ask sailors these questions. They are mere expert engineers than engineers themselves. They have more legal knowledge than lawyers. The naval Ministry was created for themselves. They are admigods. They only are entitled to honours, riches, glory, everything; but naval work they do not understand. They do not serve for war, and are not prepared for it. The navy is to them the means of getting all the good things of life.

And indeed, M. Politovsky had ground for his denunciation. Almost every ship in the fleet got into trouble. Now it would be one warship fouling with another, or a torpedo-boat would take charge of affairs and career into the nearest obstacle, or a cruiser would be broken down, and the one pump with which she was equipped would be out of repair. The officers would try to drown their nervousness in champagne, or they would gamble beyond their means. As to the crews, they were largely composed of riff-raff, and any way their treatment on the voyage was execrable. Hygienic conditions were absolutely disregarded, and whilst some of the men went out of their minds, others were stricken down with sickness and disease, caused by the insanitary regime. When the voyage began the whole fleet from the Admiral down was mad with terror. They saw a Japanese mine everywhere; every ship that came near was a spy, and any little trawler was a torpedo-boat. As the voyage progressed, in the interval between the nervousness on leaving Russia and the nervousness on nearing Japanese waters there were other troubles:

Heat, stuffiness, damp, dirt—everywhere beastliness. Deadly gloom, the near future, lack of news from the seat of war, oppress and overwhelm us; but can incompetence reigning everywhere, laziness, stupidity, ignorance, unwillingness to work, listlessness be explained? Incredible. What goes on here is perfectly incredible.

It is amusing enough to see running through the whole book the typical Russian's hatred and distrust of England. "This clod of earth," M. Politovsky exclaims when he sees the English coast for the first time—"so powerful, so rich, so proud, and so ill-disposed towards us." Nearly everything untoward that happens is traced to Perfidious Albion. When Spain—"miserable, beggarly, broken Spain"—tries to insist upon the fleet obeying the laws of neutrality, it was plainly at the instigation of England. Portugal also had to play catspaw in the same way, and even France, Russia's ally, was induced to hurry the coaling operations. All the nations naturally hate Great Britain, and only tolerate her for the present. Even the fleet which escorted Admiral Rozhdestvensky's squadron in order to prevent it getting frightened by more trawlers, was abused as mere Japanese spies. There was no pleasing M. Politovsky, who, indeed, had more hard words to throw away upon the English than upon the Japanese.

We are not, however, to suppose that the fleet had nothing to amuse itself with during its long and perilous voyage. For one thing, there was the crossing the line and the attendant ceremonies, which M. Politovsky describes at length:—

Neptune, Venus, a navigator, sub-lieutenants, Russian peasant-women, devils, barbers, and tritons arrived on their gun-carriages drawn by half-naked people. All this fine company came from the stern of the ship, accompanied by buglers and to the sound of a march played by the band, which was stationed forward. They approached the fore-turret and climbed on to it. The audience took up their places in the bows, on the bridges, turrets, masts, yards, and crosstrees. The admiral, captain, and officers stood on the bridge. The actors were all half naked, and were painted in the most varied colours—black, green, red, yellow, blue, etc. Neptune had his trident and a great beard of tow. The navigator had a chronometer, binoculars, and a sextant. The peasant-woman had a baby, which was represented by the fox-terrier. When the baby was supposed to cry, they twisted the dog's tail to make him howl.

The actors played well. Near the turret was a huge bath made of canvas and filled with water. When the play was over, they turned the hose on to everyone, from the Admiral down to the sailors. The actors were first thrown into the bath, and then the rest of the company. After being ducked, their faces were lathered with a huge brush dipped in whiting, and they were shaved with a very large razor (2½ft long) made very cleverly from a piece of wood. The water in the bath was clean at the beginning, but after the actors who were painted had been ducked it turned into Heaven knows what colour. Nearly all the officers, the captain, and the flag-captain were ducked and shaved. [illegible] and several others escaped the bath; nevertheless I had not a dry spot on me. Anyone who hid was hunted out and ducked. The seaman shot himself up in his cabin. They could not get at him, so they removed the deck-plate above it and poured water in. The seaman at last, to save his things, came out, and was thrown into the bath. Even the chaplain did not escape the same fate. It was a good thing for those who fell in feet foremost. When it happened the other way their heads were pushed under and their legs held up. . . . The crew evidently enjoyed their holiday. It was a great diversion for them.

And so the fleet moved onward to its doom. Amongst those who perished in the battle of Tsushima was the author of this book. Madame Politovzky tells us that during the battle her husband was below, giving instructions for the repair of the battleship Kniaz Suvaroff. The Admiral and some of the naval officers were taken away from the sinking ship by a torpedo-boat, but nobody worried to call the engineer and the others below. They were left to perish.

Our copy comes from the Sydney Book Club.

NOTES.

Mr. Henry Langstaff Forster, of Adelaide, not satisfied with the work of preceding scholars, publishes a little book entitled "St. John's Gospel, Epistle, and Revelation: Being Exact Expression in English of St. John's Greek Text." The version is not remarkable either for beauty or for correctness; but it is at least novel. For instance, nobody before Mr. Forster translated the well-known first verse of St. John's Gospel thus: "The Word existed originally, as the Word was Divine: yea, God was the Word that originally existed Divine." Or note: "where was being John," or "Now a garden did be," or "Lord, Thou art omniscient! Thou dost know that I am attached unto Thee."

Messrs. George Robertson and Co. forward "Beyond the Rocks," by Elinor Glyn (Duckworth's Colonial Library). This is at least an advance on the lady's egregious "Visits of Elizabeth," though the vulgarity which marked that book is not wanting here. But at any rate the heroine has the decency to be faithful to her husband in spite of temptation, and the lover finds with some surprise that he would be acting like a brute if he degraded her. The commonplace old husband does a fine thing, too, so that "Beyond the Rocks" leaves a rather pleasant taste in the mouth.

The two numbers before us of Messrs. T. C. and E. C. Jack's "Children's Heroes" series have the common distinction of being written by ladies and of being concerned with America. Miss Gladys M. Imlach tells "The Story of Columbus" with simplicity and knowledge, and "Abraham Lincoln," by Mary H. Hamilton, is just such a record of the life of this great man as will appeal to children The same publisher's "Nursery Tales told to the Children," by Amy Steedman, contains some of the most popular of the immortal stories.

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A.A.K.—I have a few of your positions on hand. I will look them up; thanks for past favours.
Solutions from J. Hoyde, C. Thomas, G.G., J. Wilson, W. Harris, Con. D., J. Brown, and P.T., correct.

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PROBLEM NO. 944.
An End Game.

Black men—3, 10, 16.
A White man on 32, Kings 1, 4.
Black to play, White to win.

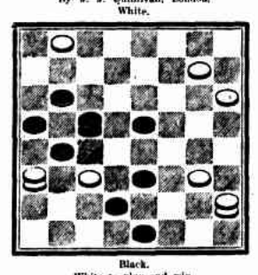
10—15	16—20	19—24	26—32	28—32	
1—6	10—15	15—19	21—26	27—24	3—7
15—18	22—26	26—21	24—28	20—27	32—24
6—10	32—27		and Black wins.		

PROBLEM NO. 945.
By the late J. D. Janiver.

Black—3, 6, 7, 10, 14, 19.
White—13, 16, 17, 21, 22, 26.
Black to play and win.

3—8	12—8	16—20	8—12	27—31	23—18
16—12	11—16	3—8	24—27	16—23	31—27
8—11	8—3	20—24	12—16	7—11	
			Black wins.		

PROBLEM NO. 946.
By J. J. Quinlivan, London.
White.



Black.

White to play and win.

PROBLEM NO. 947.
An End Game.

Black men—1, 2, 3, 6, 19.
White men—14, 21, 25, 27, 29.
Black to play and win.

The position above arose in a game played in the recent match between Messrs. Drury and Brown, which was drawn.

GAME NO. 941.—"BLACK DOCTOR."
Compiled by W. M. Mills, Sydney.

11—15	4—8	23—14	6—9	19—15	10—15
23—19	a29—25	15—19	23—18	29—25	15—7
8—11	7—2	24—27	27—24	25—22	22—17
22—17	27—23	19—23	19—15	17—19	7—2
9—13	b11—15	26—19	22—29	24—15	9—13
17—14	21—27	17—26	15—8	1—6	2—9
19—10	8—11	30—23	29—25	8—4	
7—14	24—20	13—17	24—19	7—10	
25—22	c14—18	26—27	25—22	15—11	
			And Black wins.		

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LIFE IN LONDON AND THEREABOUT.

(CHRONICLED BY HENRY W. LUCY.)

The Orange River Colony—Sir Francis Hopwood—Drink and Revenue—Some Realities in Disraeli's Romances—The Lord Chief Justice—Unearned Increment.

WESTMINSTER, Aug. 24.

The West Ridgeway Commission has practically concluded the drafting of the Constitution of the Orange River Colony, but it will not be promulgated till the end of next year. The Government are desirous of having opportunity of watching through at least 12 months the working of the Transvaal scheme before finally committing themselves to a kindred experiment in the neighbouring State. I gather in conversation with one of the Commissioners that their visit to South Africa impressed them with the greater delicacy of dealing with the Orange River Colony than with the Transvaal. Hence the delay. The fundamental, at first sight insuperable, difficulty is that of the population of the Orange River Colony—fully 80 per cent. are Boers. How to deal with the problem of framing a Constitution which shall in such circumstances prevent the Boers from becoming absolute masters of the situation has engaged the utmost resources of the Commissioners. Their hesitation to commit themselves to the formulation of a scheme is not indicative of full confidence in their success.

It was generally understood at the Board of Trade that on the completion of his mission to South Africa, Sir Francis Hopwood would not return to the post of Permanent Secretary. The only question was in what direction his promotion would be achieved. As far as the personal predilection of Sir Francis was concerned, the question was happily answered by receipt of a communication from the Prime Minister offering him the succession to the post of Railway Commissioner vacated by the death of Sir Frederick Peel. This is one of the prizes of the Civil Service. With a salary of £3600 a year, it makes no greater demand on a man's time than may be met by one month's work out of 12. Shortly after his arrival in London the pleased contemplation of Sir Francis of his prospects was disturbed by receipt of a letter from Mr. Asquith informing him that the matter had been reconsidered, and that the proffer of the post must be withdrawn. The spirit of economy at the present time controlling the Government has operated in this particular direction. The salary of the new Railway Commissioner will be cut down to a figure which would offer no inducement to the Permanent Secretary to the Board of Trade to exchange positions. Sir Francis Hopwood has accordingly returned to his old post at Whitehall. But his promotion is only deferred.

Some years ago the Chancellor of the Exchequer, then known as Sir Michael Hicks-Beach, almost dropped into poetry in eulogy of rum. Doubtless owing to an exceptionally bitter winter there had been a great run on that liquor, with corresponding advantage to the revenue. I gather from one of those guarded admissions trusted acolytes of the Treasury sometimes make that Mr. Asquith finds his hope of a big surplus checked by steady diminution of excise receipts. There is no doubt that, in spite of increasing population, the drink bill of these islands is decreasing. The story is written large in the accounts of the great breweries. Ten years ago these were to their fortunate proprietors like gold mines in the revenues yielded. They maintain the resemblance to-day in the particular that, like some gold mines, they have panned out.

A director of one of our biggest catering firms gives me some interesting particulars bearing on the question. He says that in one of their restaurants at the West End, where specialty is made of the Sunday night dinner, they have an average of 80 guests. Eight years ago the ordinary demand for champagne rarely fell under two dozen. Now k they sell six bottles they reckon they have had a good day. At another restaurant they pride themselves upon producing a princely dinner at the price of 7s 6d. This does not leave a broad margin of profit, but in former times it was made up by the sale of wine. The average taking per guest was 15s. It is to the sale of wine and spirits that hotel and restaurant keepers look for their profit. With falling demand the profit diminishes to the point of disappearance. It is the same with beer. But this may be partly accounted for by the fashion still spreading of drinking the light German and American ales. Whether this reformation owes its birth to the spread of education or to a change of taste is not determined. To those who have at heart the best interests of the people it is as satisfactory as it is disastrous to shareholders in the trade affected.

As a recent publication shows, Mr. Goldwin Smith still nurses his resentment against Disraeli. It had its birth in a scornful phrase by the politician, and was perpetuated by a sneer in Lothair at "an Oxford professor." Disraeli never resisted the temptation, doubtless delighted in its working, to touch up a political antagonist in his novels. Lord Rowton had a list which covered all that was authentic in this interesting study. We all know who Catesby in "Lothair" was meant for, since by a slip of the pen, overlooked both by author and press-reader, Diszy on one page wrote the real name, Capel. This was the Monsignor Capel who, 30 years ago, filled a prominent place in London society, making many converts to his Church, including the Marquis of Bute. He suddenly, as far as a multitude of acquaintances knew, inexplicably disappeared. He was heard of later as sort of private chaplain to a rich Californian. Never, as far as I know, has he revisited the scene of his early social and ecclesiastical triumphs.

Sir William Harcourt, for whom Diszy had strong personal liking, a feeling warmly returned, was gently let off in "Endymion" by the mouthful of a name, Hortensius. Gladstone appears in "Coningsby" as Oswald Millbank. In the same book John Bright is savagely indicated as Jawster Sharp. Canning and Cobden, whose surnames were anathema to Diszy, are in "Vivian Grey" and "Endymion" respectively labelled Mr. Charlatan Gas and Job Thornberry. In addition to Harcourt, "Endymion" presents Lord Granville as Lord Rawchester, Cardinal Wiseman as Nigel Penruddock, Bismarck as Prince Terrible, Palmerston as Lord Roehampton, Dickens by the genial name Mr. Gushy, Thackeray being impaled as Mr. Sainte Barbe.

It is a singular but, outside the Law Courts, a little known fact that the familiar title, "Lord Chief Justice of England," was created by statute only 30 years ago. Previous to 1875, when the Supreme Court of Judicature Act came into operation, the incumbent of this high office was known as Lord Chief Justice of the King's or Queen's Bench. Shakespeare, who knew everything, knew this. In "King Henry IV." he styles Gascoyne, C.J., "Lord Chief Justice of the King's Bench." More than 300 years ago a famous Judge, Lord Coke, he whose partnership with Lyttleton—Coke-upon-Lyttleton the wise call it—is familiar even to the vulgar, was indicted for, amongst other things, that he styled himself on the title-page of his famous report "Lord Chief Justice of England," instead of the King's Bench. Lord Cockburn, who filled a brilliant page of recent history as Lord Chief Justice, was the last who was limited to the style that irked Lord Coke. Lord Coleridge was the first holder of the office whose patent appointed him Lord Chief Justice of England.

Whilst the style is exalted, the Lord Chief Justice still remains President of the King's or Queen's Bench division. With him are vested all the statutory powers of the Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas and the Lord Chief Baron of the Exchequer, ancient posts abolished 26 years ago by Order in Council. Ordinary Judges, though styled My Lord in court, do not rise above the style of knighthood. They bequeath no hereditary rank to their children. Their wives have the prefix "lady," which is a variation on the custom north of the Tweed. Scottish Judges are Lords outside in court, as well as when they wear the ermine; whereas their wives are plain "Mrs."

Strident and justifiable complaint continues to be made about the loss accruing to owners of property in London in districts newly blasted by the tootling horn of the motor-car. At the same time the value of houses at the West End of London is steadily increasing. As leases fall in, renewal is granted upon terms that seem exorbitant. The Athenæum and the Reform Club are brothers in affliction in this matter. The ground on which they stand is Crown property. Since their birth they have enjoyed at moderate ground rent the advantages of the location. On renewal of the lease the rent has been put up on a scale that makes it absolutely impossible for these concerns to be carried on on the original basis. The Athenæum has met the difficulty by adding a cubit to its stature. It has built a new range of rooms on the level where the roof formerly stood, the rental of these residential chambers covering augmented ground rent.

Belgrave Square affords an illustration of how unearned increment is created. During the last three years half a dozen houses in this favourite spot have been leased for a term of 25 years for an aggregate sum of £125,000. The owner of one of these tells me that in 1886, the lease then having 38 years to run, it fetched £15,000. In 1900, the owner, moving into the country, put the lease on the market. It readily brought £20,000, though at the date of the transaction there remained only 24 years' lease, as compared with 38 when it fetched £15,000. This simple fact tells a marvellous story, especially interesting to advocates of the principle of taxing ground rent.

WHERE BRIGHT BLOSSOMS ARE SCENTLESS.

(BY A. E. M.)

On the moonlit air comes the scent of the pittosporum, heavy and searching, and sweet with the sweetness of all spring's sunshine and showers. It floats across the garden fence, across the road, across the very harbour itself; it is wafted to the ferry-boats as they float past the gardens round the bay; it is everywhere, penetrating and insistent, and bringing memories of past springs and other moons.

There is something else it calls up from the hidden recesses of the mind—a line from a poem, that just evades the memory, but stirs with a certain discontent. Oh, yes; here it is:—

In lands where bright blossoms are scentless,

How could one have forgotten the words! Their very absurdity should have printed them indelibly on the memory—for memory has a trick of storing up the unkind and untrue, even if their constant repetition could let one forget.

Somebody

THE FUTURE IN AMERICA

A SEARCH AFTER REALITIES.

By H. G. WELLS.

XII.—THE MIND OF A MODERN STATE.

I.

Recapitulatory. I do not know if I am conveying to any extent the picture of America as I see it, the vast rich various continent, the gigantic, energetic process of development the acquisitive successful, the striving failures, the multitudes of those rising and falling who come between, all set in a texture of spacious countryside, laminate with pleasant timber houses, of clangorous towns that bristle to the skies, of great exploitation districts and crowded factories, of wide deserts and mine-torn mountains, and huge half-tamed rivers. I have tried to make the note of immigration grow slowly to a dominating significance in this panorama, and with that, to make more and more evident my sense of the need of a creative assimilation, the cry for synthetic effort, lest all this great being, this splendid promise of a new world, should decay into a vast unprogressive stagnation of unhappiness and disorder. I have hinted at failures and cruelties, I have put into the accumulating details of my vision, children America blights, men she crushes, fine hopes she disappoints and destroys. I have found a place for the questioning figure of the south, the sorrowful intercreation of the outcast coloured people. These are only the marginal shadows of a process in its totality magnificent, but they exist, they go on to mingle in her destinies.

Then I have tried to know, too, the conception I have formed of the great skein of industrial competition that has been tightening and becoming more and more involved through all this century-long age, the Age of Blind Growth, that draws now towards its end; until the process threatens to throttle individual freedom and individual enterprise altogether. And of a great social uneasiness and discontent, unprecedented in the history of the American mind, that promises in the near future some general and conscious endeavour to arrest this unanticipated strangulation of freedom and free living, some widespread struggle, of I know not what constructive power, with the stains and disorders and indignities that oppress and grow larger in the national consciousness. I perceive more and more that in coming to America I have chanced upon a time of peculiar significance. The note of self-illusionment sounds everywhere. America, for the first time in her history, is taking thought about herself, and ridding herself of long cherished illusions. I have already mentioned (in Chapter VIII.) the memorable literature of self-examination that has come into being during the last decade. Hitherto, American thought has been extraordinarily localised; there has been no national press, in the sense that the press of London or Paris is national. Americans know of America as a whole, mainly as the flag. Beneath the flag America is lost among constituent States and cities. All her newspapers have been, by English standards, "local" papers, preoccupied by local affairs, and taking an intensely localised point of view. A nation-newspaper for America would be altogether too immense an enterprise. Only since 1896, and in the form of weekly and monthly ten cent magazines have the rudiments of a national medium of expression appeared, and appeared to voice strange pregnant doubts. I had an interesting talk with Mr. Brisben Walker upon this new development. To him the first ten cent magazine, "The Cosmopolitan," was due, and he was naturally glad to tell me of the growth of this vehicle. To-day there is an aggregate circulation of ten millions of these magazines; they supply fiction, no doubt, and much of light interesting ephemeral matter, but not one of them is without its element of grave public discussion. I do not wish to make too much of this particular development, but regard it as a sign—of new interests, of keen curiosities.

Now I must confess when I consider this ocean of readers, I find the fears I have expressed of some analogical development of American affairs towards the stagnant commercialism of China, or towards a plutocratic imperialism and decadence of the Roman type, look singularly flimsy. Upon its present lines, and supposing there were no new sources of mental supply and energy, I do firmly believe that America might conceivably come more and more under the control of a tacitly organised and exhausting plutocracy, be swamped by a swelling tide of ignorant and unassimilable labour immigrants, decline towards violence and social misery, fall behind Europe in education and intelligence, and cease to lead civilisation. In such a decay Cæsarism would be a most probable and natural phase, Cæsarism and a splitting into contending Cæsarisms. Come but a little sinking from intelligence toward coarseness and passion, and the South would yet endeavour to impose servitude anew upon its coloured people, or servile—that trouble is not yet over. A little darkening and impoverishment of outlook and New York would split from New England, and Colorado from the East. An illiterate, short-sighted America would be America doomed. But America is not illiterate; there are these great unprecedented reservoirs of intelligence and understanding, these millions of people who follow the process with an increasing comprehension. It is these millions of readers who make the American problem, and the problems of Europe and the world to-day, unique and inalienable; who provide a cohesive and reasonable and pacifying medium the old world did not know.

II.

Birth Struggles of a Common Mind. You see my hero in the confused drama of human life is intelligence; intelligence inspired by constructive passion. There is a demi-god imprisoned in mankind. All human history presents itself to me as the unconscious or half unconscious struggle of human thought to emerge from the sightless interplay of instinct, individual passion, prejudice and ignorance. One sees this diviner element groping after law and order and fine arrangement, like a thing blind and half buried, in ancient Egypt, in ancient Judæa, in ancient Greece. It embodies its purpose in religions, invents the disciplines of morality, the reminders of ritual. It loses itself and becomes confused. It wearies and rests. In Paris, for the first time, one discovers it consciously and open eyed, trying, indeed, to take hold of life and control it. Then it goes under, and becomes again a convulsive struggle, an incoordinated gripping and leaving, a muttering of literature and art, until the coming of our own time. Most painful and blundering of demi-gods it seems through all that space of years, with closed eyes and feverish effort. And now again it is clear to the minds of many men that they may lay hold upon and control the destiny of their kind.

It is strange, it is often grotesque to mark how the reviving racial consciousness finds expression to-day. Now it startles itself into a new phase of self-knowledge by striking a note from this art, and now by striking one from that. It breaks out in fiction that is ostensibly written only to amuse, it creeps into after-dinner discussions, and invades a press which is economically no more than a system of advertisement sheets proclaiming the price of the thing that is. Presently it is on the stage; the music hall even is not safe from it. Youths walk in the streets today, talking together of things that were once the ultimate speculation of philosophy. I am no contemner of the present. To me it appears a time of immense and wonderful beginnings. New ideas are organising themselves out of the little limited efforts of innumerable men. Never was there an age so intellectually prolific and abundant as this in the aggregate is. It is true, indeed, that we who write and think and investigate to-day produce nothing to compare with the magnificent speculations and intensely individualised achievements of the impressive personalities of the past. None the less is it true that we all together we signify infinitely more. We no longer pose ourselves for admiration, like priests and princes of letters in a world of finite achievement; we admit ourselves no more than pages bearing the train of a queen, but a queen of limitless power. The knowledge we co-ordinate, the ideas we build together, the growing blaze in which we are willingly consumed, is wider and higher and richer in promise than anything the world has had before. . . .

III.

Primitive Streak and Primitive Segments. When one takes count of the forces of intelligence upon which we may rely in the great conflict against matter, brute instinct, and individualistic disorder, to make the new social state, when we consider the organising forms that emerge already from the general vague confusion, we find apparent in every modern State three chief series of developments. There is first the thinking and investigatory elements, that grow constantly more important in our university life, the enlarging recognition of the need of a systematic basis of university publications, books, periodicals, and of sustained and fertilising discussion. Then there is the greater, cruder, and fuller sea of mental activities outside academic limits, the amateurs, the free lances of thought and inquiry, the writers and artists, the innumerable, ill-disciplined, untrained, but interested and well-meaning people who write and talk. They find their medium in contemporary literature, in journalism, in organisations for the propaganda of opinion. And thirdly, there is the immense, nearly universally diffused system of education which, inadequately enough, serves to spread the new ideas as they are elaborated, which does at any rate by its preparatory work, render them accessible. All those new manifestations of mind embody themselves in material forms, in class rooms and laboratories, in libraries, and a vast machinery of book and newspaper production and distribution.

Consider the new universities that spring up all over America. Almost imperceptibly throughout the past century, little by little, the conception of a university has changed, until now it is nearly altogether changed. The old-time university was a collection of learned men; it believed that all the generalisations had been made, all the fundamental things said; it had no vistas towards the future; it existed for teaching and exercises, and more than half implied, what Dr. Johnson, for example, believed, that secular degeneration was the rule of human life. All that, you know, has gone; every university, even Oxford (though, poor pretentious dear, she still professes to read and think metaphysics in "the original" Greek) admits the conception of a philosophy that progresses, that broadens and intensifies, age by age. But to come to America, is to come to a country far more alive to the thinking and knowledge-making function of universities than Great Britain. One splendidly-endowed foundation, the Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, exists only for research, and that was the first intention of Chicago University also. In sociology, in pedagogics, in social psychology, these vital sciences for the modern state, America is producing an amount of work which, however trivial in proportion to the task before her, is at any rate immense in comparison with our own British output. . . .

IV.

Columbia University. I did my amateurish and tentatory best to see something of the American universities. There was Columbia. Thither I went with a letter to Professor Giddings, whose sociological writings are world-famous. I found him busy with a secretary in a business-like little room, stowed away somewhere under the dome of the magnificent building of the University library. He took me round the opulent spaces, the fine buildings of Columbia. I suppose it is inevitable that a visitor should see the constituents of a university out of proportion, but I came away with an impression overwhelmingly architectural. The library dome, I confess, was fine, and the desks I saw well filled with students, the books were abundant, well arranged, and well tended. But I recall marble staircases, I recall great wastes of marble steps, I recall, in particular, students' baths of extraordinary splendour, and I do not recall anything like an equivalent effort of large leisure and dignity for intellectual men. Professor Giddings seemed driven and busy; the few men I met there appeared all to have a lot of immediate work to do. It occurred to me in Columbia, as it occurred to me later in the University of Chicago, that the disposition of the university founder is altogether too much towards buildings and memorial inscriptions, and all too little towards the more difficult and far more valuable end of putting men of pre-eminent ability into positions of subsidised leisure. This is not a distinctively American effect. In Oxford, just as much as in Columbia, one, far more than one, find stone and student lording it over the creative mental things; the dons go about like some sort of little short-coated parasite, pointing respectfully to tower and facade, which have, in truth, no reason for existing except to shelter them. Columbia is almost as badly off for means of publication as Oxford, and quite as poor in inducements towards creative work. Professors talk in quite the British way of getting work done in the vacation.

Moreover, there was an effect of remoteness about Columbia. It may have been the quality of a blue still morning of sunshine that invaded my impression. I came up out of the crowded tumult of New York to it, with a sense of the hooting, hurrying traffics of the wide harbour, the teeming East side, the glitter of spending, the rush of finance, the whole headlong process of America, behind me. I came out of the subway station into wide, still streets. It was very spacious, very dignified, very quiet. Well, I want the universities of the modern state to be more aggressive. I want to think of a Columbia university of a less detached appearance, even if she is less splendidly clad. I want to think of her as sitting up there, cheek on hand, with knitted brows, brooding upon the millions below. I want to think of all the best minds conceivable, going to and fro—thoughts and purposes in her organised mind. And when she speaks, that busy world should listen. . . .

As a matter of fact, that busy world regards a professor as something between a dealer in scientific magic and a crank, and a university as an institution every good American should be honestly proud of and avoid.

V.

Harvard. Harvard, too, is detached, though not quite with the same immediacy of contrast. Harvard reminded me very much of my first impressions of Oxford. One was taken about in the same way to see this and that point of view. Much of Harvard is Georgian red brick that must have seemed very ripe and venerable until a year or so ago one bitter winter killed all the English ivy. There are students' clubs, after the fashion of the Oxford Union, but finer and better equipped; there is an amazing Germanic museum, the gift of the present Emperor, that does, in a concentrated form, present all that is flamboyant of Germany; there are noble museums and libraries, and very many fine and dignified aspects and spaces, and an abundant intellectual life. Harvard is happily free from the collegiate politics that absorb most of the surplus mental energy of Oxford and Cambridge, and the professors can and do meet and talk. At Harvard men count. I was coupled with on all hands in my disappointment that I could not meet Professor William James—he was still in California—and I had the good fortune to meet and talk with President Eliot, who is, indeed, a very considerable voice in American affairs. To me he talked quite readily and frankly of a very living subject, the integrity of the press in relation to the systematic and successful efforts of the advertising chemists and druggists to stifle the exposures of noxious proprietary articles. He saw the problem as the subtle play of group physiology it is; there was none of that feeble horror of these troubles as "modern and vulgar," that one would expect in an English university leader. I fell into a great respect for his lean fine face and figure, his deliberate voice, his open, balanced, and constructive mind. He was the first man I had met who had any suggestion of a force and quality that might stand up to and prevail against the forces of acquisition and brute trading. He bore himself as though something was behind him, unlike many other men I met who criticised abuses abusively, or in the key of facetious despair. He had very much of that fine aristocratic quality one finds cropping up so frequently among Americans of old tradition, an aristocratic quality that is free from either privilege or pretension. . . .

At Harvard, too, I met Professor Munsterberg, one of the few writers of standing who have attempted a general review of the American situation. He is a tall, fair German, but newly annexed to America, with a certain diplomatic quality in his personality, standing almost consciously, as it were, for Germany in America, and for America in Germany. He has written a book for either people, because hitherto they have seen each other too much through English media ("uber dies von englischen Pinseln retouchiert"), and he has done much to spread the conception of a common quality and sympathy between Germany and America. "Blood," he says in this connection, "is thicker than water, but . . . . printer's ink is thicker than blood." England is too aristocratic, France too shockingly immoral, Russia too absolutist to be the sympathetic and similar friend of America, and so, by a process of exhaustion, Germany remains the one power on earth capable of an "inner understanding." (Also he has drawn an alluring parallel between President Roosevelt and the Emperor William to complete the approximation of "die beiden Edelmenschen.") I had read all this, and was interested to encounter him therefore at a Harvard table in a circle of his colleagues, agreeable and courteous, and still scarcely more assimilated than the brightly new white Germanic museum among the red brick traditions of Kirkland and Cambridge streets. . . .

Harvard impresses me altogether as a very living factor in the present American outlook, not only when I was in Cambridge, but in the way the place tells in New York, in Chicago, in Washington. It has a living and contemporary attitude, and it is becoming more and more audible. Harvard opinion influences the magazines and affects the press, at least in the east, to an increasing extent. It may, in the near future, become still more rapidly audible. Professor Eliot is now full of years and honour, and I found in New York, in Boston, in Washington, that his successor was being discussed. In all these cities I met people disposed to believe that if President Roosevelt does not become President of the United States for a further term, he may succeed President Eliot. Now that I have seen President Roosevelt it seems to me that this might have a most extraordinary effect in accelerating the reaction upon the people of America of the best and least mercenary of their national thought. Already he is exerting an immense influence in the advertisement of new ideas and ideals. But of President Roosevelt I shall write more fully later. . . .

VI.

Chicago University. Chicago University, too, is a splendid place of fine buildings and green spaces and trees, with a great going to and fro of students—a wonderful contrast to the dark congestions of the mercantile city to the north. To all the disorganisation of that it is even physically antagonistic, and I could think as I went about it that already this new organisation has produced such work as Veblen's admirable ironies ("The Theory of Business Enterprise," for example) and such sociological work as that of Professor Albion Small. I went through the vigorous and admirably equipped pedagogic department, which is evidently a centre of thought and stimulus for the whole teaching profession of Illinois, I saw a library of sociology and economics beyond anything that London can boast. I came upon little groups of students working amidst piles of books in a businesslike manner, and if at times in other sections this suggestion was still insistent that thought was as yet only "moving in" and, as it were, getting the carpets down, they were equally clear that thought was going to live freely and spaciously, to an unprecedented extent, so soon as things were in order.

I visited only these three great foundations, each in its materially embodiment already larger, wealthier, and more hopeful than any contemporary British institution, and it required no effort to realise that they were but a portion of the embattled universities of America, that I had not seen Yale, nor Princetown, nor Cornell, nor Leland Stanford, nor any Western State university, not a tithe, indeed, of America's drilling levies in the coming war of thought against chaos. I am in no way equipped to estimate the value of the drilling; I have been unable to get any conception how far these tens of thousands of students in these institutions are really alive intellectually, are really inquiring, discussing, reading, and criticising; I have no doubt the great numbers of them spend many hours after the fashion of one roomful I saw intent upon a blackboard covered with Greek; but allowing the utmost for indolence, games, distractions, and waste of time and energy upon unfruitful and obsolete studies, the fact of this great, increasing proportion of minds at least a little trained in things immaterial, a little exercised in the critical habit, remains a fact to put over against that million and a half child workers who can barely have learnt to read—the other side, the redeeming side of the American prospect.

VII.

A Voice from Cornell. I am impressed by the evident consciousness of the American universities of the role they have to play in America's future. They seem to me pervaded by the constructive spirit. They are intelligently antagonistic to lethargic and self-indulgent traditions, to disorder and disorderly institutions. It is from the universities that the deliberate invasion of the political machine by independent men of honour and position—of whom President Roosevelt is the type and chief—proceeds. Mr. George Iles has called my attention to a remarkable address made in the year 1883, before the Yale Alumni, by President Dickson White (the first President), of Cornell, who was afterwards American Ambassador at St. Petersburg and Berlin. President White was a member of the class of '53, and he addressed himself particularly to the men of that year. His title was "The Message of the Nineteenth Century to the Twentieth," and it is full of a spirit that grows and spreads throughout American life, that may ultimately spread throughout the life of the whole nation—a spirit of criticism and constructive effort, of a scope and quality the world has never seen before. The new class of '83 are the messengers.

> To a few tottering old men of our dear class of '53 it will be granted to look wild, straining eyes over the boundary into the twentieth century, but even those can do little to make themselves heard then. Most of us shall not see it. But before us and around us—nay, in our own families, those who shall see it. The men who go forth from these dear shades to-morrow are girding themselves for it. Often as I have stood in the presence of such bands of youthful messengers I have never been able to resist a feeling of awe, as in my boyhood when I stood before men who were soon to see Palestine and the Far East, or the Golden Gates of the West and the islands of the Pacific. The old story of St. Philip Neri at Rome comes back to me, who, in the days of the Elizabethan persecutions, made men bring him out into the open air and set him opposite the door of the Papal College of Rome that he might look into the faces of the English students, destined to go forth to triumph or to martyrdom for the faith in far off heretic England.
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> I cannot forbear from quoting further from this address—it is all so congenial to my own beliefs. Indeed, I like to think of that gathering of young men and old as if it were still existing, as though the old fellows of '53 were still sitting, listening and looking up, responsive to that appeal that comes down to us. I fancy President White on the platform before them, a little figure down the perspective of a quarter of a century, but still quite clearly audible, delivering his periods to that now indistinguishable audience:—
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> What then is to be done? Mercantilism, necessitated at first by our circumstances and position, has been in the main a great blessing. It has been so under a simple law of history. How shall it be prevented from becoming, in obedience to a similar inexorable law, a curse?
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> Here, in the square to this question, it seems to me, is the most important message from this century to the next.
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> For the great thing to be done is neither more nor less than to develop other great elements of civilization now held in check, which shall take their rightful places in the United States, which shall modify the mercantile spirit . . . which shall make the glory of our country . . . nothing greater and broader than anything we have reached, or ever can reach, under the sway of mercantilism alone.
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> What shall be those counter elements of civilization? Monarchy, aristocracy, militarism we could not have if we would, we would not have if we could. What shall we have?
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> I answer simply that we must do all that we can to rear greater fabrics of religious, philosophic thought, literary thought, scientific, artistic, political thought, to summon young men more and more into these fields, not patriotic duty; to hold before them not the incentive of mere gain or of mere pleasure or of mere reputation, but the ideal of a new and higher civilisation. The greatest work which the coming century has to do in this country is to build up an aristocracy of thought and feeling which shall hold its own against the aristocracy of mercantilism. I would have more and more the appeal made to every young man who feels within him the ability to do good or great things in any of these higher fields, to devote his powers to them as a sacred duty, no matter how strongly the mercantile or business spirit may draw him. I would have the idea preached early and late. . . . . .
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> And as the guardian of such a movement, ... I would strengthen at every point this venerable university, and others like it throughout the country. Remiss, indeed, have the graduates and friends of our own honoured Yale been in their treatment of her. She has never had the means to do a tithe of what she might do. She ought to be made strong enough, with more departments, more professors, more fellowships, to become one of a series of great rallying points or fortresses, and to hold always concentrated here a strong army, ever active against mercantilism, materialism, and Philistinism. . . . .
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> But, above all, the effort to create these new counterpoising, modifying elements of a greater civilisation must be begun in the individual man, and especially in the youth, who feels within him-self the power to think, the power to write, the power to carve the marble, to paint, to leave something behind him better than dollars. In the individual minds and hearts and souls of the messengers who are preparing for the next century is the source of regeneration. They must form an ideal of religion higher than that of a life devoted to grasping and grinding and griping, with a whine for mercy at the end of it. They must form an ideal of science higher than that of increasing the production of iron or cotton. They must form an ideal of literature and of art higher than that of pandering to the latest prejudice or whimsey. And they must form an ideal of man himself worthy of that century into which are to be poured the accumulations of this. So shall material elements be brought to their proper place, made stronger for good, made harmless for evil. So shall we have that development of new and greater elements, that balance of principles which shall make this republic greater than anything of which we can now dream.'

ALTERATION OF PLACE NAMES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—I note in your issue of 20th inst that my brother Fred has a letter on the subject of changing names of places. I should not, perhaps, have thus noticed his remarks had he not been severe as regards the changing of the name of Merryla railway station to Weral, and as I am responsible for this, and not the Commissioners, I wish to explain that the Commissioners, finding it necessary to change the name of this station on account of confusion through similarity, wrote to one of the older members of our family, and getting no reply wrote to me. I looked up some native names and meanings, and recommended Weral, as the station is on the foot of an incline below where the train comes out of a cutting, and means "look out." It seemed appropriate. I support the authorities in adopting native names, especially where appropriate, and would be glad to see "Picton Lakes" changed to "Naadjong," which means "water." There is no sign of a lake, and Picton Lakes station is six miles from Picton.

I am, etc.,
Sept. 24. HENRY S. BADGERY.

In view of the increase in the Brazilian and Chilian navies, the Argentine Minister of Marine has decided to send a message to Congress, calling its attention to the fact.

OPEN, RUNNING SORES.

A HELPLESS LITTLE CRIPPLE.
LEONARD WILLS OF PAHIATUA.
HIS BONES ALL DISEASED.
BEDRIDDEN FOR TWO YEARS.
TOO BAD FOR THE HOSPITAL.
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DR. WILLIAMS' PINK PILLS.

A little child of eight, with his bones all rotting away and forcing their way out through two great raging ulcers in his shoulder and his ankle—that was the sad picture of Leonard Lionel Wills, of Pahiatua. For two years the brave little child had lain there, crippled hand and foot, going through pain that would have driven many a grown man out of his mind. He had been ordered to the Hospital, and all the doctors gave him up. In despair, his mother gave him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills—and they saved his life. There is no doubt about the facts of the case. The father of the child is Albert Stanley Wills, a farmer of Mangatainoka, a few miles out of Pahiatua. The history of the whole affair is given by his mother, Mrs. Minnie Wills, in words that carry on their face the stamp of earnestness and truth. The facts are known to the Doctor and the neighbours—and they all agree that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills worked a miracle when they raised this crippled child up off his death bed.

"Three years ago, when Leonard was only five he got feverish, and I thought he was sickening for the measles," Mrs. Wills began. "He soon got worse—and before the week was out we had to call in a doctor. By that time the child was delirious, and out of his mind with the fever. The doctor brought the fever down—but when Leonard came back to his senses, he kept telling me how sore his shoulder was. If I took hold of his arm, he screamed with the pain. Mr. Wills noticed then that his shoulder was a little red and swollen. Soon it got a nasty angry look, and the child cried every time I touched it. I sent for the doctor again, and he then said that Leonard had inflammation of the shoulder blade—and he ordered me to poultice it to draw out the inflammation.

"I did this, and it brought the whole thing to a head. It was an awful sight, and the doctor made up his mind to operate upon it. He lanced the flesh under the child's armpit, and the poisonous matter poured out of the wound. The doctor said that he had never seen such a gathering of pus in all his life. That wound never healed, though I used to wash it out every day with antiseptics. It got worse and worse, till it was like a gangrene eating into his flesh. The poor little fellow was fairly worn out with pain. Every day he got thinner and weaker, and his face was as pale as death.

"Before long, an ulcer formed on the top part of his arm, and then the doctor said that Leonard's bones were diseased. That turned out to be only too true. The ulcer got bigger and deeper. Bethany days a piece of bone began to work out of the sore. It was as green as grass, and all eaten away by the poison in his blood. After that little pieces of rotting bone kept working out of the sore every few days. Soon afterwards a small pimple formed on the outside of his ankle. This spread and then broke. It formed into a running sore, and pieces of bone started to come from it, too. When the doctor saw that, he said Leonard must go into the hospital at once. Nothing could save him unless his bones were scraped. If they didn't get rid of the disease this way the poison would work all through his system. The doctor said there was no time to lose. If it wasn't done at once it would be too late to save his life. But it was a terrible operation—and Mr. Wills and I both felt that Leonard could never live through it.

"By that time on the child got rapidly worse," added Mrs. Wills. "He became a complete cripple. He lay there in his bed, day after day, wrapped up in wadding. I couldn't bear the bedclothes or even his night shirt to touch him. I worried my heart out over him, for I felt that I had taken his life in my own hands, when I would not let the doctor take him to the Hospital.

"It was just at this time that I read how Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had cured a little girl over in Queensland suffering just the same way from diseased bones. That put fresh hope into me, and Mr. Wills said we would write to the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Wellington, and ask them a straight question—whether Dr. Williams' Pink Pills would cure Leonard or not? With the letter, we sent several pieces of bone that had worked out of the open ulcers in his shoulders and ankle. In reply, they told us of three other cases of the kind that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills had cured. So we sent for a supply, and decided to give them a fair trial.

"A few weeks after starting Dr. Williams' Pink Pills we noticed that Leonard was always hungry. He began to grow strong. And there wasn't nearly so much pus coming from the sores. He got so much better that we had a special go-cart made to wheel him about in the open air. Little by little, he gathered flesh on his wasted limbs. Then the ulcers healed up. All this time he was getting so much stronger and fatter that he was soon able to get up and walk. But it was slow work, and we had to keep giving him Dr. Williams' Pink Pills every day for twelve months. But, by that time there was hardly a mark on his ankle, and only a few pits on his arm and shoulder, where the diseased bones worked their way out. To-day he is as strong and well as any boy of his age. He can run like a hare, and crack a whip with any of his brothers. To this day, the doctor always asks about Leonard, and says that he can hardly believe that he is running about again. But he is close on two years now since he was cured—so I know he is cured for good. His father and I say it is a downright miracle."

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A GREAT GRASS COUNTRY.

THE PROBLEM OF STOCKING.

It is difficult to recall a year in which the spring season was so thoroughly satisfactory as it is at the time of writing. October is near, and there is no cause for anxiety concerning crops, pastures, or water supply. Even in the full season of 1903, which followed the drought, there was a threat of dry weather in September, several districts were short of grass, and in others there was a scanty supply of water. This year the rains have literally covered the country, and the temperatures have been mild enough to promote an early growth that has been well sustained. It is now possible to realise the vast productiveness of the State of New South Wales in a fruitful period. The State carries probably 48 millions of sheep at this moment, yet holders are reluctant to sell, because they cannot see how they could make use of the great bodies of grass and herbage if they parted with a proportion of the stock. Enormous stretches of country are infested with rabbits, but the rabbits at present are not felt because there is far more feed at hand than the animals kept for profit can consume.

A casual estimate of the value of the increase in production from the pastures this year shows that even with the stock carried at present there will be a gain of some millions sterling over the returns for last year. The increase in wool production will probably amount to 150,000 bales, representing a million and a half of money, while the natural increase in sheep may be set down at 10 millions after allowing five millions for home consumption and export. The increase in sheep should be worth some five millions of money, so that the total gain from these two principal sources of return to the landholders and stockkeepers should nearly reach seven millions sterling. This calculation does not take into account the increase in beef cattle, the increase in dairy cattle, and the gain in the volume of production from the latter. The increase in cattle would be worth over half a million of money, and that in production of all products as much more. In all probability the actual gain, exclusive of the supplies used for home consumption on all live stock and its products, will be valued at some eight millions of money. Surely, when we consider these millions, and the millions to which they are added will be produced from the natural pastures only, New South Wales may be regarded as about the greatest grass country in the world. Such an estimate as this, if made at an earlier stage, would justly be regarded as being sanguine, and perhaps unreliable. The season, however, is well advanced, and so far as the pastures and the live stock are concerned the prospects are assured. The country has had sufficient rain to ensure the permanency of the feed on to midsummer, and seasonable rains are still visiting districts which will continue to respond to moisture and a rising temperature. The growth next month will be astonishing in the earlier districts, while it is certain that everything in the colder parts will make excellent progress.

Several important questions in connection with the great pastoral industry come up for discussion in such a season as the present. The first thing that strikes the enthusiast is that if the State were stocked right up to its carrying capacity many more millions would be added to the wealth returned from the soil. Doubtless New South Wales would carry at least 60 millions of sheep and cattle in proportion this year, and would keep them in fair condition throughout the summer. It is, however, open to question whether it would be safe or wise to have the country stocked to that extent. At present the demand for live stock is keen, mainly because there is no special reason for selling anything but prime fat animals. If, however, the carrying power of the State were suddenly reduced through the effects of a drought even the high prices for wool would hardly hold up the live stock markets. There would be no opening for the numbers which would be offered in consequence of the rush to reduce stocks in face of the disappearance of the grass and water. In a full year such as this it is very difficult for the most experienced pastoralist to realise that country which is ridiculously understocked at the present time may be lamentably overstocked next year, while still carrying the same number of animals. It is, of course, very hard to refrain from making the very best use of all the feed that becomes available. From any point of view an immediate dead loss of good material presents itself, and it is but natural that every anxious holder of land should desire to make the best use of a good time. The point to be carefully considered is whether it is worth while to risk ultimate loss by stocking right up in good seasons. If a bad time arrives while the country is heavily stocked everybody tries to sell at once, and it being impossible to find feed for the stock heavy losses are sure to ensue. This year the live stock held has reached numbers which are approaching full stocking for a fair season. Should the export trade fail to expand, and the stockowners continue to breed and hold a large proportion of their increase two more good years would stock New South Wales up to its greatest carrying capacity in the best of seasons. A bad season even in parts following upon that condition of affairs would bring about a great loss.

It will be realised that the stockowners of this State, as a body, have, even in this prosperous year, a very serious problem to consider. It might be held that the country is good enough in flush years to make up, through increased production, for the losses through overstocking in bad seasons, but this is surely a gambler's view of the position. It assumes that there will always be sound market values for stock and its produce in flush years, and also that stockowners will survive the worst of seasons and come up smiling to receive the good returns of the prosperous years. The proposition is that they should content themselves with more moderate returns in good seasons, in order that the losses in bad years might also be moderate. Some holders in districts of light rainfall assert that they rarely suffer a bad season, because they are never seriously overstocked. It is true that during the phenomenal drought losses could not have been prevented over certain large areas, no matter how lightly these were stocked. That, however, was a singular case, and one that is not likely to present itself again. It is impossible to lay down a policy which would meet the demands of phenomenal cases; in fact, it may be said that in 1902 a state of things existed which could not have been very much mitigated by the exercise of any human power. Beyond a doubt, the wisest policy is moderate stocking at all times, and doubtless a large majority of stockowners hold that view. The difficulty which will shortly present itself will be to find means of keeping the number of sheep within a reasonable total. Even if owners take advantage of all available means of disposing of portions of the increase, the increase will overtop all these. Once 50 millions of sheep are held, the net gain with each year will amount to many millions, provided always that disastrous seasons do not intervene. Plainly, a large export trade is the only hope of an outlet which would keep the millions down to a safe limit. This certainly does not now promise to absorb sufficient numbers, and though lower values may result in more frequent shipments the trade will need to expand enormously to serve the full purpose of the stockbreeders.

The unpleasant conclusion must be forced upon the thoughtful stockowner that the only means by which the increase may be checked effectually is by the advent of bad seasons. The idea that breeding should be restricted in order to avoid the possibility of heavy losses is not likely to be entertained, but it is probable that breeders may change the policy of hanging on to their ewes pursued since the drought, and sell more of these in the markets, and this would somewhat reduce the percentage of increase, which has been remarkably high since 1902. Meanwhile the season is great, prices are firm for meat, wool, and other products, and after all stockowners may be absolved if they do not allow the stocking problem to cause them sleepless nights.

WILL MILKING MACHINES PAY?

The real drawback to the dairying industry is the drudgery of the yard work. Will milking machines pay? Are they practicable? These questions have not been answered satisfactorily to a large number of inquirers who are ready to risk the expense if they were sure of encouraging results. Several brands of machine are in use, giving, of course, more or less satisfactory results; yet there is something to be desired. The Americans tried the Lawrence-Kennedy machine, saw good points in it, and have turned out an improved pattern machine. Although it is claimed to fill the bill, motive power and a system of piping are necessary, a complication which bars use by the ordinary dairyman. The improved machine does not perform its work more rapidly than the hand-milker, but one man can manage three pails. The work of milking at the ordinary farm is such that a farmer cannot afford to pay for adult labour, especially at rates which the workman could earn at other occupations during good seasons. The result is that young children are relied upon to help, and they are often overworked. Both the farmer and the children are thus objects of sympathy. The question worth considering is, whether it would not be better if a farmer so situated produced less cream, but made a higher grade article, in accordance with a necessary scheme of industrial reform. Many of the ablest dairy scientists in Australia do not look for a solution of the problem in the invented milking-machines. Canadian experiments proved that machine-milked cream made inferior butter to that of the hand milk. This result, too, was achieved under the most careful conditions, although it was recognised that the most scrupulous care must be exercised to keep the machines clean.

THE WOOL TRADE.

LIGHT SUPPLIES NEXT WEEK.

With no auction sales, very little, if any, wool available, and an absence of buyers—most of whom were away for the opening of the season in Adelaide—practically no business has been doing during the present week. Most of the wool not disposed of at the last auctions has passed hands, thus leaving only new arrivals for next week's sales. How small the offerings are for the opening season may be seen from the roster. The first week's catalogues only give promise of an aggregate of about 8200 bales. This is due not to any resolve on the part of sellers to test the market to the light supplies, but to the fact that the wet weather for the past few weeks has delayed shearing, and rendered the roads difficult for the transport of wool. Up to date the shortage of arrivals by rail and boat, compared with last season, is upwards of 60,000 bales. So, instead of the large number of buyers having to face heavier catalogues at the opening than last year, it is very much the reverse. At the opening of the weekly series last year, instead of about 8200 to lift, there was close on 24,000 bales. The actual number catalogued was 23,944. It thus seems as if the very elements, which are at present so favourable for the pastures and unfavourable for marketing the clip, are at any rate acting against the "bear" movement to force down wool values. The argument is that as there promises to be an increase in this season's clip, so there must be a corresponding fall. Little, if any, cognisance is taken of the briskness of trade and the plentifulness of money. Australia is producing more wool than during the 1905-6 season, and therefore Australians must be content with lower rates for the 1906-7 clip. That is the burden of the song of some buyers, and it must be hearkened unto if the chorus is strong enough to keep it in the minor key. Let but a section see, however, that the world's consumption of merino wool is equal to the supply, and the tone will improve. There is greater buying power in Australia to-day than ever before, and it is possible, even when the wool comes forward at the rate of 80,000 to 70,000 bales per week, that it can be cleared at firm values. The same cry is sounded to-day as was heard towards the close of last year, when values were "sure to decline" in the second half of the statistical year. Instead of that being the case, the market gathered strength right up to May last, and it has only been since then, without any real change in the world's powers of consumption to warrant it, that a downward move has been made. Scourеds are lower and neglected, and wasty, greasy fleece is weaker; on the other hand, light-conditioned, well-got-up, greasy fleece and dry skirtings are in strong demand—from which it is evident that even now supplies must be obtained, if possible, at firm values. "Wait till the spinners have had their immediate requirements supplied, and the topmakers are in possession of the market, then the lower tone must prevail." That is the argument, and how far it will go is the query of the moment.

CURRENT SYDNEY QUOTATIONS.

The rates current in the Sydney market for the descriptions of staple offered at the last series of auctions are as given hereunder:—

GREASY MERINO.

Fleece	6½d to 12½d
Necks, broken, 1st pieces	6d to 11d
Second pieces	5½d to 10½d
Bellies	5½d to 9d
Stained pieces	3½ to 5½d
Locks	2½d to 4½d
Dead	5d

GREASY CROSSBRED.

Fleece	10d to 11½d
Necks, broken, 1st pieces	9½d to 10½d
Second pieces	at 9½d
Bellies	7½d

SCOURED MERINO.

Fleece	15d to 22d
Necks, broken, 1st pieces	12½d to 19½d
Second pieces	11½d to 15½d
Bellies	at 15d
Stained pieces	8½d to 12½d
Locks	7½d to 13½d

EXTREME ESTIMATES OF THE INCREASE.

Reverting to the position with regard to values, a word or two needs to be said about the extreme estimate that is being made, and was made on the other side in July last of this year's Australasian increase. It is put down by some members of the trade at 200,000 bales, but others place it at 250,000 bales, and according to the "Statist" of August 18 last it was that estimate more than anything else that paralysed the market in London in July, "and we fail to see (says the writer) how fine wool values can be more than maintained. Of course, it will be the end of the year before new wool begins to arrive in any quantity, and this should help things considerably. At the same time, everybody is going to buy no more than what will meet their pressing requirements; and as the holidays are coming on quiet markets can only be expected." These remarks followed the opinion expressed that "to-day's values, although not at the highest point, are resting upon a real, solid, consumptive basis, the boom of 1899 being caused entirely through a false impression getting abroad throughout the trade that the wool then available would not go round. Everybody bought and piled up stocks, finally finding themselves unable to lift the new Australian clip that was coming on to the market. To-day's conditions are at the other extreme. Stocks can be found nowhere, and consumption is larger and wider than has ever been known. The briskness of the woollen trade is not simply confined to Yorkshire, but on the Continent, America, and even in Russia, mills have now plenty to do. Ever since 1900 every section of the textile trade has been adopting a cheese-paring policy, and going from hand to mouth finds them so placed to-day that when there is a good trade they want extra quantities of manufactured materials."

A ROMPING MANUFACTURING SEASON.

"It is on the consumptive basis that values must be built. If a decrease in this season's Australasian clip was in sight, and stocks were piled up, there would be some ground for a decline in values this season, for the position would really be weak. As it is, however, an increase is required, and the world can well afford to pay the rates asked. The boom heights of May last are not looked for, but the rates of the first half of last season are certainly expected by woolgrowers. There has been no falling off of work in manufacturing centres, the mills have been kept going, and orders have been taken freely with present orders in view, and, as the "Statist" says: "If to-day's consumption is maintained, the new clip will come on to a clean-swept market. All along we have felt that wool values had approached a dangerous level, but so long as the real manufactured article moved into the hands of consumers there was a fair degree of safety about them, and the recent fall is due more to fear and prospective adequate supplies than anything else. The textile trade of this country has had a romping season, mills everywhere running overtime, this being the case to-day."

NEXT WEEK'S ROSTER.

The first of the weekly series of auctions in the Sydney market will be held on Tuesday next, October 2, and continued on the two following days. After next week the sales will be held from Monday to Thursday, inclusive, up to December 13; as from that date there will be only two sale-days in the following week prior to the adjournment for the Christmas recess, on December 18. The roster for next week is as follows:—

Tuesday, October 2.—(1) Schutz, Bell, and Co., about 700 bales; (2) John Bridge and Co., Ltd., about 600 bales; (3) Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Co., Ltd., about 1200 bales.

Wednesday, October 3.—(1) Winchcombe, Carson, and Co., Ltd., about 1500 bales; (2) New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Co., Ltd., about 500 bales.

Thursday, October 4.—(1) Goldsbrough, Mort, and Co., Ltd., about 1000 bales; (2) Pastoral Finance Association, Ltd., about 2500 bales.

WOOL STILL COMING SLOWLY.

How slowly the wool is arriving in Sydney may be seen by the following quantities of wool received for the present week, as compared with the corresponding week last year:—

Sept., 1906.	Bales.	Sept., 1905.	Bales.
22	1,800	23	3,378
24	2,983	25	4,717
25	1,724	26	4,300
26	2,354	27	4,573
27	3,042	28	5,443
28	3,207	29	4,328
Totals	16,300		28,539

The week's decrease, 12,239.
Shortage for the season, 48,239.

THE OPENING ADELAIDE SALES.

The Adelaide sales on Thursday last were exceedingly well attended; there was a record attendance of buyers, and competition was active, particularly on French account, for good greasy wools. Upwards of 15,747 bales were catalogued, and 14,022 were realised at auction. It would seem, according to telegrams, that values were at par to 5 per cent. lower than the rates ruling at the corresponding auctions last year. The wool, however, is said to be heavier in condition than the clips from the same flocks last year, and that good-fleece wools really were at a parity with the September, 1905, rates, what decline there was being on the heavy, wasty lots. Dalgety and Co., Ltd., sold for the first time in that centre. The company offered 2850 bales, and withdrew 100.

MELBOURNE OPENING POSTPONED.

The opening sales of the season in Melbourne have been postponed from October 8 to October 16. This is due to the shortage of arrivals of wool at that centre. The protracted shearing and difficulty of transport have operated against receipts of wool there as here. A good selection of wool is in store, but the more recent rains give little promise of sufficient for regular sales till the later date now fixed.

THE LONDON SERIES.

The London September series that opened this week about fulfilled expectations. Competition seems to have been fairly active from both English and Continental houses. Compared with the July closing rates, greasy and scoured super merino were without material change; medium and inferior merino, coarse greasy, and scoured crossbred were from par to 5 per cent. lower; and slips from 5 to 10 per cent. A moderate selection seems to have been offered, and buyers are evidently feeling their way cautiously. The fact that tops are in better inquiry, and no further fall from last week taken place in merino quotations, it would seem that the prospects for the series are good.

BRADFORD TOPS BETTER.

According to our cable message of yesterday's date, there was more inquiry and a better tone for Bradford tops this week than last. Quotations were firm for merinos and medium crossbreds, while 40's advanced 1d per lb. By that change it may be seen that super 60's, common 60's, and 46's are 1d per lb below the rates ruling at the corresponding period last year, and that 40's (coarse crossbred) are 1d per lb above last September quotations. Our usual table of quotations is as follows:—

	Sept 28, 1906.	Sept. 21, 1906.	Sept. 29, 1905.
	d	d	d
Super 60's (merino)	26	26	27
Common 60's (merino)	25	25	26
46's (medium and xbred)	18	18	19
40's (coarse xbred)	17½	17	17

SYDNEY WOOL RECEIPTS.

The number of bales of wool manifested to arrive by rail at Darling Harbour yesterday was the largest number for the week, but it fell short of the number for the corresponding day last year by 2131 bales. The shortage for the week is 12,239, and for the season to date it is 48,239 bales. The figures for the two periods are as follow:—

	Bales.
By rail—	
From July 1, 1906, to September 28, 1906, at Darling Harbour railway station	88,444
Corresponding period last year	136,683
Decrease	48,239
By sea—	
From July 1, 1906, to September 27, 1906	16,093
Corresponding period last year	27,206
Decrease	11,112

SYDNEY WOOL SHIPMENTS.

Five vessels have cleared the Customs at Sydney since last week's review with a total of 18,551 bales, as compared with four vessels with 7026 bales for the previous week, and with eight vessels with 28,631 bales for the week ended September 29, 1905. The vessels, with quantities, for the week and for the season to date are as follow:—

	Bales.
Australind, September 26, for the Continent	4,626
Damascus, September 27, for London	2,103
Petuna, September 22, for London	177
Star of Scotland, September 22, for London and Dunkirk	8,390
Sigmaringen, September 25, for Bremen	2,402
Ayrshire, September 26, for London and Continent	853
Total from Sydney for the week	18,551
Total from Sydney and Newcastle from July 1, 1906, to September 28, 1906	69,799
Corresponding period last season	70,054
Decrease	12,255

THE COMMERCE ACT.

SUPERVISION OF EXPORTS.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Commerce Act regulations as finally prescribed by the Executive Council to-day come into operation on Monday next as far as the export regulations are concerned, and on January 1 as regards imports.

The Minister of Customs has directed that the regulations for a brief period shall not be strictly enforced, so that exporters may acquaint themselves with the forms and proceedings. Explanatory guides of procedure will be obtainable shortly from the Collector of Customs. The places to be appointed for the inspection of goods for export will ultimately be gazetted, but in the meantime the Collector will select suitable and convenient places for immediate use. The regulations now issued have been altered in some respects from the provisional regulations. Those to which special attention is invited are as follows:—

"Milled butter" means butter which is a mixture or blend of two or more butters, ordinarily packed alone and under separate names or brands, and which have been mixed or blended at a place other than where manufactured, and packed under other than the original name or brands.

"Pastry butter" means butter which is not fit for ordinary table use.

In regulation 8 the words "not packed in tins" are now omitted, thus necessitating branding of all butter as "pure creamery butter," "pastry butter," or "milled butter," as the case requires.

It is now required that in regard to butter re-packed by an exporter (other than the manufacturer or producer thereof), under a brand other than that of the producer or manufacturer, the exporter of description shall state that the butter has been re-packed. Provisional regulation 8, relating to setting forth in the certificate of the percentage of any preservatives, colouring, or foreign matter, etc, in butter and cheese, is now omitted. When these goods are not classified by an officer this information must be included in the trade description on the boxes or tins, but the precise percentage need not be stated. It is sufficient to specify not more than 16 per cent. of water, 3 per cent. of casein, etc, and the date of tinning or canning the meat must be furnished, in addition to the date of the killing of the meat when required by the inspecting officer. The three days' notice of the intention to export butter has been reduced to one day, making one day the uniform period for notice of intention to export any goods. The Minister has decided, in the case of butter, cheese, hares, and rabbits, that in regard to classification and certification by an officer, on the request of the exporter, the officer may stamp the goods with the result of the classification, thus—first-class, superfine; first-class, second-class, or as the case may be.

The following State officials have been appointed to administer the regulations in the various places and departments mentioned:—Messrs. G. T. Anderson (Enfield), Geo. Bradshaw (Agricultural Department), E. D. Butler (Agricultural Department), P. Bruce (Lismore), J. A. Crawford (Hurstville), Jas. Culnane (Kempsey), P. C. Denston (Agricultural Department), N. Dineen (Parramatta), T. J. Everett (Canterbury), W. W. Frogratt (Agricultural Department), William Graham (Agricultural Department), E. G. Griffiths (Botany), F. B. Guthrie (Agricultural Department), Edw. Jackson (Sydney Meat Works, Auburn), H. V. Jackson (Agricultural Department), G. H. S. King (Department of Public Health), John Martin (Agricultural Department), Jas. Madden (Somerderry), O. O'Connor (Granville), M. A. O'Callaghan (Agricultural Department), W. Petersen (Agricultural Department), Geo. Roberts (Ballina), W. Sanderson (Agricultural Department), G. W. Shelley (chief inspector, Glebe Island), G. V. M. Turner (Agricultural Department), Jas. Talbot (Byron Bay), and S. C. Viller (Riverstone).

PASTORAL INDUSTRY OF SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

ADELAIDE Friday.

The annual meeting of the Pastoralists' Association of South Australia and West Darling was held yesterday. The president, the Hon. J. J. Duncan, M.L.C., said that the body was in a satisfactory position. The times ahead were, however, somewhat critical, because the tendency of legislation was to wipe out stations within the reliable rainfall area, and which now were valuable breeding grounds. If this policy was persisted in a serious situation would arise as to the value and stability of the pastoral industry in this State, and it would have a great effect on the lamb trade. Already this tendency had enticed some of the best colonists to leave the State, and it was estimated that these emigrants had taken with them to New South Wales alone capital estimated at £500,000.

AUSTRALIAN JERSEY HERD SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Australian Jersey Herd Society will be held at 11 a.m. on October 2, at the Royal Agricultural Society's rooms. Breeders and those interested in Jersey cattle are specially requested to attend.

THE SHEARING.

A STRIKE AT MULLAH.

TRANGIE, Friday.

The shearers on Mullah station are on strike, and all of them have been summoned to appear before the Trangie court on Wednesday next.

STOCK BOARDS.

GUNDAGAI.—At the pastures board meeting on Thursday advice was received that the Auditor-General had placed in the hands of the Crown Solicitor, the action, the papers in connection with the local directors drawing fees in excess of those provided by the regulation. The directors, at the inauguration of the Pastures Act, adopted the scale of fees in force under the Rabbit Act, no regulations for the point being in existence. Some months ago the department advised the board that such payments were illegal, and that refunds of the excess amounts should be made. The board disputed this point, and contended that the ratepayers who found the money for the fees had endorsed their action by returning the directors without opposition since the dispute arose. The directors have decided to await the threatened demand on them individually, and to continue drawing the fees as usual. The stock inspector reported a splendid season throughout the whole district, and that the only trouble amongst stock was a little footrot on the river frontages. Rabbit destruction had been greatly handicapped of late owing to continuous wet weather. Rabbits were not nearly as numerous in the district as 12 months ago. Holders were going in extensively for netting, and in a few years' time he anticipated the district would be well nigh netted in. The board altered the standard of netting for the district, making 17 or 18 gauge optional, in order to fit in with the Government's decision.

DESTRUCTION OF RABBITS.

CARCOAR.—The stock inspector, Mr. C. B. King, who has been doing a considerable amount of travelling in all parts of the district lately, being asked how the rabbits in the district compared with the corresponding period last year, states that, until recently, when they commenced breeding, rabbits were comparatively scarce, and were being kept well under, but now the number of kittens to be seen everywhere is appalling. For the last two months weather conditions have been unfavourable for rabbit destruction, and during that time they were breeding fast. Poisoning in such weather as we have experienced lately is simply waste of time and money, and those owners who try to keep the pest down were heavily handicapped during the wet weather; whilst those who are always on the look-out for an excuse for not destroying rabbits were provided with a satisfactory one for allowing them to increase on their holdings. Conditions, however, are now favourable, and the inspector is determined to accept no excuse from land-owners who do not attempt to suppress the pest while such perfect weather lasts. He strongly advises all owners to lay poison extensively, and get the rabbits down before shearing and harvesting commence. They are taking the poisoned baits well now, and they should be given plenty.

LAND BOARDS.

GUNDAGAI.—The land board has inquired into applications received for special leases on mining reserve at Back Station Creek, four miles from Gundagai, for dairying and agriculture. The Mines Department objected to the applications being granted, as the land was needed for the mining interest. Evidence of holders in the vicinity showed that the reserve was used to a very small extent for mining purposes. The board recommended the refusal of the applications, owing to the objections of the department, adding that the evidence showed the reserve was not much needed for mining, and in view of there having been a demand for land in the neighbourhood, recommended that the advisability of retaining the reserve for mining be thoroughly gone into.

DISTRICT ITEMS.

LIVERPOOL.—Caterpillars are playing havoc among the vegetable crops in some parts, and reports state that the pest is attacking the blossoms of fruit trees.

SUTHERLAND.—At a meeting on Wednesday the Miranda Progress Association passed a resolution to urge upon the Government the necessity of resuming the Holt Sutherland estate for the purpose of closer settlement.

ECCLESIASTICAL DISCIPLINE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As I made no such remark as that attributed to me by Mr. Chisholm, perhaps you will publish this correction. On reading the statement of your representative to that effect I at once wrote to the editor of the "S. M. Herald" asking him to correct it. My letter, so far as I can learn, was not inserted.

What I actually did say was that the report of the Royal Commission referred to the irregularities and illegalities, but that "in the large majority of parishes the work of the Church is being quietly and diligently performed by clergy who are entirely loyal to the principles of the English Reformation, as expressed in the Book of Common Prayer."

I am, etc.,
CHARLES E. BATHURST.
Bishop's Court, Bathurst, September 27.

[In the "Herald" of September 15, under the heading of "The Churches," Dr. Camidge's explanation was inserted.—Ed. S.M.H.]

To the Man on the Land.—Briefly and Irish's "Crown Lands Act of New South Wales Simplified" should be in the hands of every settler. The most comprehensive work of its class yet published. Cloth, 10s 6d; interleaved, 13s 3d post free. J. J. Marsden, 37 Elizabeth-street, Sydney.—Advt.

Features of the Great Cycling Road Race from Goulburn to Sydney are illustrated in this week's "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

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LAW REPORT.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28.

EQUITY COURT.

(Before Mr. Acting Justice Street.)

ATTACHMENT FOR DISOBEDIENCE.

Horne and another v Leigh and another.

Mr. Peden, instructed by Mr. J. T. Ralston, appeared for the plaintiffs, and moved that Ralph Leigh, one of the defendants in the suit, who had been arrested for disobedience of an order of the Court granting an injunction to restrain defendants from dealing in any way with the Tivoli estate until the hearing of the suit, should be remitted to his former custody. It appeared that the respondent was attached by direction of the Court for disobedience of the order of the Court, in receiving money from Elizabeth Maria Harrison in respect of an interest in the Tivoli estate, and interfering with plaintiff Horne, the receiver and manager appointed by the Court, by giving a mortgage to Harrison. Having heard the affidavits read and a statement by respondent, and also by Mr. Peden,

His Honor made an order that respondent be remitted to his former custody and remain there until the dosts of the arrest and the proceedings consequent thereon had been paid. Upon such payment respondent to be released, but if after the expiration of 10 days from the date of such release the mortgage referred to was not discharged a fresh writ of attachment would be issued.

PROBATE COURT.

(Before Mr. Acting-Justice Street.)

PROBATES AND ADMINISTRATIONS.

Probates were granted of the wills of the following deceased persons:—John Tierney, David Percy, Herbert Pabst, Elizabeth Jane Kearns, Joseph Taggart, Ernestine Maria Ludwig, Jemima Duncan Wilson, Thomas Oates, Susan Ann Berry Seccombe, Ernest Hensleigh Harnett, Joachin Javick, Michael Talty, Robert Smyth, John Calman, David Scarlett, Sarah Anne Marshall, Richard Augustus Bastard, William Phillip Dunlop, Rose Barbara Roberts, Fred. Guy, John Heron, Pamela Jane Spencer, John Peters, Otto Hausmann, Roderick M'Kenzie, William Thursby, James Richard Woodland, William George Bell, William Walker.

Letters of administration were granted in the following estates:—Albert David Minns, Ada Ellen Patterson, Agnes Baldwin, Frederick Ernest Gascoyne Stanley, Mary O'Brien, Henry Elliott, John Ashton, Mary Mulholland, Michael Caffrey, Mary Ann Hellier, Robert Henry Foy, Alexander Dodds Hamilton, Charles Stokes, Michael Hickey, Ellen Teresa Conlon, Bridget Tarriasey, Theodore Louis George Miller, George William Wheatley, and Jane King Plowman.

BANKRUPTCY COURT.

(Before the Registrar, Mr. Arthur Henry.)

CREDITORS' PETITIONS.

Fisher and Macansh versus Charles John Haynes. Mr. Taylor appeared for the petitioner, and asked leave to withdraw the petition upon an affidavit filed setting out terms of settlement. The application was granted.

Thomas Hardy and Son and others versus W. Hatten. On the motion of Mr. Primrose, who appeared for the petitioning creditors, an order of sequestration was made, and Mr. L. T. Lloyd was appointed official assignee.

Joseph Booker versus Charles H. Bishop. Mr. Walker appeared for the petitioner, and Mr. Abbott for the respondent, in whose behalf objections were read. Respondent was examined by Mr. Abbott, and cross-examined by Mr. Walker. The Registrar said it was evident that there were, or would be, assets. The only evidence given was that by respondent, and he considered that he was bound to make the order. Order made accordingly, and Mr. W. H. Palmer appointed official assignee.

ARBITRATION COURT.

(Before Judge Heydon and Messrs. Wright and Riley.)

A GAOL COMMITMENT.

In the case of Harold Hodges, a painter, who had been committed to Darlinghurst for non-compliance with an order of the Court, defendant was again presented. He had been unable to find a security for his offer to pay by instalments the amount due by him, and he was remanded back to custody.

QUARTER SESSIONS.

(Before Judge Murray and juries.)

Mr. J. Armstrong, K.C., Crown Prosecutor.

SENTENCE ON E. L. DENT.

Ernest Lambourne Dent, who had been convicted of false pretences, produced evidences to show he had been of good character. It was stated that the prisoner had been a promising Sunday-school pupil and prize-winner at one time, but had been led away by his gift of fluent speech and political and theatrical proclivities into devious paths. His Honor said he would take into account that the prisoner had been led away by his possession of a superficial eloquence, an excitable temperament, and domestic troubles. Nevertheless, the evidence showed he had assumed false names and opened bank accounts in them. He would pass a sentence of 18 months' imprisonment with hard labour in Bathurst gaol. Prisoner pointed out that if he were sentenced to one day more he would get a larger remission for good conduct. His Honor at the prisoner's request added one day to the sentence. Mr. J. Flynn, gaol warder and court recorder, stated that the additional day would make no difference in the remission obtainable.

FINGER-PRINTS.

Joseph Henry Miller, a young man, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on February 14, at Newtown, broken and entered the house of George Rigg and stolen several articles of plate and jewellery. The Crown Prosecutor stated that the case was one in which the jury would be asked to conclude from finger-prints on a window of the house that accused had been guilty of the breaking and entering. Expert evidence was given regarding the identity of prints of fingers on the glass and the impressions taken from accused's fingers in the gaol. The defence was an alibi, accused stating that he was at Wollongong working on the date of the charge. The jury found the accused guilty, and he was remanded for sentence.

STOLEN CLOTHING.

Isaac Peter Holder, an aged man, pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on August 3 at Glebe stolen two shirts and other articles the property of Henry David Elliott. Accused, who was undefended, was convicted. Holder was reported by the gaol recorder to have been convicted 19 times from 1887 till 1891, for larceny in Queensland, and 11 times from 1900 till 1906, in this State, for dishonesty of various kinds. He had also been convicted of a serious assault. Accused was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour. His Honor characterised prisoner as a most unmitigated old humbug.

ACQUITTAL.

Henry Thompson pleaded not guilty to a charge of having on July 23 at Sydney, stolen clothing in the dwelling-house of Demetrius Arsenis. Accused was undefended. The jury acquitted the accused, and he was discharged.

FORGERY AND UTTERING.

John Albert Barry, a young man, who had pleaded guilty to a charge of forgery and uttering, was called for sentence. Mr. E. R. Abigail appeared for the prisoner, and asked for leniency. The cause of the prisoner's downfall was stated to be drink. The prisoner was bound over in his own recognisance of £100 to come up for sentence if called upon, and to be of good behaviour for 12 months.

LAW NOTICES.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29.

SUPREME COURT.

In Chambers.—Rex v Crick and others, to amend order.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2.

Equity Court.—Before Mr. Justice Street.—11 a.m., Franklin v Franklin, hearing. Before the Deputy Registrar.—11 a.m.: Falconer v Falconer, to tax costs. 2 p.m.: Ryan v Ballinger, to settle minutes of decree. 3 p.m.: F. W. Elliott, deceased, and Trustee Act, to settle minutes of order.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy.—11 a.m.—Creditors' petitions: Edward W. John Alfred Sinclair Davidson. Certificate applications: Michael James Goggin, re John William Warren and Thomas James Allen, ex parte Thomas James Allen; Frank George Kendrick Wilson, John Edward Handcock, Samuel Dark, Mark Rollason, jun. Single meetings: Joseph Charles Keats, Charles Pittman Homer, John Norman Durham Campbell. Before the Registrar.—10.30 a.m., taxation of petitioning creditors' costs, R. S. M'Innes. 10.45 a.m., T. Madden; 11.15 a.m., William Bateup.

COURT OF ARBITRATION.

Before the President and Members, in the Probate Court.—10 a.m.—For hearing: Tallowood Timber, New South Wales, claimant, v Jackson and Eckersall, respondents.

DISTRICT COURT.

Before Judge Backhouse.—10 a.m.—All undefended actions, and afterwards the following defended actions:—Alexander v Single, Borough of Randwick v Jones, O'Neill v Ford,

GOVERNMENT NOTICES.

NOTICE UNDER REAL PROPERTY ACT.

APPLICATIONS having been made to bring the Lands hereunder described under the provisions of the Real Property Act, Certificates of Indefeasible Title will issue, unless Caveats be lodged in accordance with the Third Schedule to the said Act on or before the 31st OCTOBER, 1906.

No. 12,729. APPLICANTS:—John Rose Hutchinson Gibbons, Auburn; and John Hunter Stephenson, and Octavius Wilkinson Cowley, Sydney. LAND:—City of Sydney, 12¼ perches, situated in Hutchinson-street, Surry Hills,—comprising part of lot No. 15 of Nichol's subdivision, and in part of 70 acres granted to John Palmer; adjoining the properties of J. W. Hodges, Miss Josephine Mackay, Permanent Trustee Company, and Elizabeth Ireland and Anne Manning.

No. 12,738. APPLICANT:—Cuddy Morgan, and The Permanent Trustee Company of New South Wales (Limited). LAND:—County of Cumberland and parish of St. Matthew, 22 acres 10½ perches, situated near Windsor,—in part of 140 acres (portion No. 61 of parish) granted to Neil M'Kellar; adjoining the properties of S. Gow, J. Scath, and A. G. Glover.

No. 14,279. APPLICANT:—Andreas Pedersen, Marrickville. LAND:—Borough of Marrickville, 2 acres 3 roods 22 perches, situated on Cook's River and Riversdale-crescent, being lots Nos. 20 to 22 of section No. 2 of the Moffatt Estate, and in part of 200 acres granted to Thomas Moore; adjoining the properties of J. M. Thompson, D. Lucas, G. Purdie, and A. Harcourt.

No. 14,318. APPLICANT:—Joanna Nestor, Tumut. LAND:—County of Wynyard and parish of Tumut, 58 acres 3 roods, situated on Tumut River,—being the land granted as 56 acres 2 roods, portion No. 100, to Thomas Davis; adjoining the properties of F. Campbell and the trustees of the Church of England.

No. 14,393. APPLICANT:—Malachi M'Guerin, Sydney. LAND:—City of Sydney, 7¼ perches, situated in Surrey-street and Little Surrey-street, and being part of 2 roods 0 perches, Block No. 16 (new grant) of the Riley Estate, granted to William Barker; adjoining the properties of Mrs. M. Francis and the Master in Lunacy.

No. 14,393. APPLICANT:—James Mudford, Manning River. LAND:—County of Macquarie and parish of Oxley 23 acres and 15 acres 2 roods, situated on Tungsbraha or Cabbage Tree Island, on the Manning River (south channel),—being the land granted as 24 acres (portion No. 130 of parish) and 16 acres (portion No. 134 of parish) to William Goudy; adjoining the properties of D. Clune and Mrs. W. Mudford.

No. 14,389. APPLICANTS:—Patrick Francis Cardinal Moran, Very Rev. John Joseph Carroll, Rev. Richard Collender, Matthew Stanley, and Patrick Francis Riedy, all of Sydney. LAND:—City of Sydney, 1 rood 7¼ perches, situated in Devonshire-street, Marlborough-street, and Jessop-street, Surry Hills,—being part of Block E 23 of the Riley Estate, and part of section No. 8 of the Maryleboue Estate, and is part of 70 acres granted to John Palmer; adjoining the properties of Mrs. J. E. Watkin, F. C. Corbett, Miss Neill, Mrs. Geddes, Mrs. W. M. Boyle, and Mr. Johnston.

Diagrams delineating these lands may be inspected at the Land Titles Office, Elizabeth-street, Sydney. Dated at Sydney, this 12th day of September, 1906, at the Registrar-General's Department.

W. G. H-WILLIAMS, Registrar-General.

(16-11)

Department of Public Works, Sydney, September 28, 1906.

TENDERS FOR PUBLIC WORKS AND SUPPLIES.

TENDERS for the Works, etc., specified below will be received at this Department until 2 o'clock p.m. on the dates mentioned:—

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1906.

Low-level Bridge over Warrana Creek at Bung Bung Crossing, road Coomamble to Wongy.

Bridge over Peel River, near Paradise, road Tamworth to Calala.

Low Level Bridge over Bellinger River at Myer's Crossing, road Coast-road to Perrott's.

Completion of the Victoria and Albert Pavilions at the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital.

Drainage, Public School, Five Dock.

Repairs to Boundary Wall, etc., Public School, Crown-street, city.

Repairs to Public School, Woollahra.

Additions to Police Building, Uralla.

General Repairs and Painting, Post and Telegraph Office, Concord.

Erection of Temporary Building, Fire Station, Waterloo.

Contract No. 44, 1906.7.—Forming and Ballasting Nelson-street, Gordon.

Contract No. 45, 1906.7.—Construction of Second-class Culvert over Swamp Creek, Road 16-three-road to Pittwater-road.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1906.

Additions to Dam "B," Lake Cudgellico Improvements.

(Fresh tenders.)

Bridge over Bankalee Creek on deviation, road Nowra to Budgong.

Erection of Two Leading Lights, Basin Entrance, Newcastle Harbour. (Fresh tenders.)

Additions to Public School, Eden.

Additions to Public School, Gosford.

Erection of Partition, etc., Public School, Woollahra.

Erection of Building for the Department of Engineering, University of Sydney.

Additions to Rifle Range, Ryde.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1906.

Construction of Foundation and Erection of a 74 ton Steam Derrick Crane, Garden Island Dockyard.

Two Electrically-driven Wharf Cranes, for the Royal Naval Victualling Stores, Darling Island.

Improvements to Bathhouse, Cronulla.

Repainting and Renewing Roofs, etc., Public School, Blacktown.

Narrow Gauge Tramway, Tracks, etc., for the Royal Naval Victualling Stores, Garden Island.

Erection of Court House, Tumbarumba. (Time Extended).

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1906.

Bridge over Bellbrook Creek, at Culcairn, road Culcairn to Gerogery.

Erection of Post Office, Mullumbimby.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1906.

Bridges over Goonoo Goonoo Creek and Barnes' Gully, and Widening Pierced Plate Culvert on Main Northern-road, at Tamworth.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5, 1906.

Sinking an Artesian Bore in the Burrowa Water Trust District.

(6a-29) CHARLES A. LEE, Secretary for Public Works.

Department of Public Works, NEWCASTLE.

PURCHASE.

Quotations will be received up to the end portion for the purchase of a quantity of WROUGHT SCRAP IRON and STEEL, as it now lies at Carrington Island.

Time required for removal to be stated. Quotations to be endorsed "Quotation for Scrap," and addressed The Chairman, Marketing Board, Newcastle.

Department of Lands, Sydney, 20th September, 1906.

THE attention of all persons interested is invited to a notification in the "Government Gazette" of the 28th September, 1906, with respect to the ALIENATION OF STREETS within the MUNICIPALITY OF MOSMAN. Copies of the "Government Gazette" may be inspected at the Crown Lands Office and the Police Office of the district.

ROBERT M'DONALD, Acting Under-Secretary.

(3a-51)

Department of Fisheries, Sydney, 24th September, 1906.

WHEREAS by the 13th section of the Fisheries Act, 1902, it is among other things enacted that the Board of Fisheries may, by notice in the Gazette, from time to time make regulations as to the use on inland waters, or portion thereof, shall be closed against fishing generally, and be any method of mining, during any specified time in any year, and that the Board may in like manner rescind or vary any such notice. Now, therefore, the Board, in pursuance and exercise of the powers conferred by the said Act, do hereby declare that the waters of the rivers as specified in Schedule A hereto shall be closed against fishing generally, and by any method of mining, from the 1st day of October to the 30th day of November, 1906, inclusive, PROVIDED that the waters specified in Schedule B hereto shall not be closed against the taking of trout by means of rods with artificial flies and landing nets during the month of November, 1906.

(H.S.) FRANK FARNELL, Chairman of the Board of Fisheries for New South Wales.

SCHEDULE A.

The whole of the waters of that part of the Murray River, together with all its tributaries, lagoons, creeks, inlets, billabongs, and tributaries, within the State of New South Wales, including the Darling, Edwards or Kyalite, Barwon, Murrumbidgee, Lachlan, Macquarie, Castlereagh, Namoi, Gwydir, Macintyre, and Severn Rivers, together with the whole of their lakes, lagoons, inlets, creeks, billabongs, and tributaries, and also the whole of the Menindee and Pooncarie lakes, lagoons, and billabongs, whether connected by flow or otherwise with any of the herein specified waters being west of the Great Dividing Range, in the State of New South Wales.

SCHEDULE B.

The head waters of Murray, Murrumbidgee, Namoi, Macintyre Rivers, together with the whole of their tributaries.

"Head Waters" shall mean and include such portions of the said rivers and their tributaries as specified in Schedule B in front of the localities hereinafter described.

PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD.

50 Young-street, Sydney, 26th September, 1906.

The PUBLIC SERVICE BOARD invites applications for the undermentioned positions in the Public Service. Applications must be made on a form for the purpose, obtainable from this Office, or from Clerks of Petty Sessions in Country Districts, and must reach the undersigned not later than the dates specified. Further particulars are published in the "Government Gazette," and can also be obtained on application to this office:—

Locality	Size of Casing. 10-inch & 8-inch Feet	6-inch Feet	5-inch Feet	4-inch Feet
Willaama Depot	—	402	2724	4060
Mamba Bore	379	1130	1690	17
German Tank Bore	17	560	861	2280

CHARLES A. LEE, Secretary for Public Works.

(6a-31)

METROPOLITAN BOARD OF WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that SEWERS have been constructed, and are now available in the undermentioned Streets, Lanes, and Private Property, as described, in the BOROUGHS OF ANNANDALE, MARRICKVILLE, NEWTOWN, CAMPERDOWN, BURWOOD, STRATHFIELD, and MOSMAN, and WILLOUGHBY. All owners whose properties are situated in these streets, or within 150ft of such sewers, are hereby informed that they must connect within 60 days after this date. Rates to be chargeable on all properties liable to such sewers after the expiration of the 60 days aforesaid. A plan of the district to be served and such property must first be obtained from the Board:—

ANNANDALE (Contract No. 629A).

Nelson-street.—From existing sewer, Board Contract No. 471, at the intersection of Piper and Nelson streets, thence along Nelson-street to the existing sewer, Board Contract No. 471, at the intersection of Rose and Nelson streets.

MARRICKVILLE (Contract No. 640, S. 61).

Morgan-street.—From existing sewer in Morgan-street, Board Contract No. 253, at a point 205ft westerly from Livingstone-road, thence along Morgan-street 100ft easterly.

Calvert-street.—From existing sewer, Board Contract No. 416, in lane at the rear of Victoria-road, at a point 14ft north-easterly from Calvert-street, thence along lane 14ft to Calvert-street, thence across Calvert-street 42ft south-westerly, thence along Calvert-street 109ft north-westerly.

NEWTOWN (Contract No. 640, S. 87).

Line No. 1.—Lane between Brown and Herbert streets—From existing sewer, Board Contract No. 615 (S. 54), at a point 306ft westerly from Brown-street and 254ft south-easterly from Linthorpe-street, thence along lane 234ft to Linthorpe-street, thence across Linthorpe-street 18ft north-westerly.

Line No. 2.—Linthorpe-street.—From existing sewer in Linthorpe-street, Board Contract No. 49, at a point 240ft north-easterly from Erskineville-road, thence along Linthorpe-street 366ft north-easterly.

CAMPERDOWN (Contract No. 640, S. 77).

From existing sewer, Board Contract No. 1045, in Missenden-road, at a point 5ft 9in. south-easterly from Stephen-street and 85ft south-westerly from Missenden-road, thence along passage at the rear of Missenden-road 50ft north-westerly.

BURWOOD (Contract No. 640, S. 85).

From existing sewer, Board Contract No. 618, at a point 434ft westerly from Weldon-street and 157ft southerly from Wyatt-avenue, thence through private property 210ft westerly.

STRATHFIELD (Contract No. 640, S. 74).

Lane between The Avenue and Albert-road.—From existing sewer, Government contract No. 437, at a point 30ft westerly from Elva-street, thence along lane 446ft westerly.

MOSMAN (Contract No. 627).

Private property, Illawarra-street, Private Property.—From main sewer, Government Contract No. 198, at a point about 500 links south-east of Raglan-street and 300 links north-east of Illawarra-street, thence 23 links south-easterly, thence 190 links south-westerly, thence 201 links north-westerly along Illawarra-street to within about 160 links of Raglan-street, thence 223 links south-westerly.

WILLOUGHBY (Contract No. 628, S. 73).

Private Property, Mowbray-road.—From existing manhole about 160 links north of Mowbray-road and 200 links east of Gordon-road, thence 377 links north-easterly, thence 178 links south-easterly, thence 162 links north-easterly along Mowbray-road.

CONTRACT No. 638 (S. 91).

Private Property.—From existing manhole about 340 links south of Johnson street and 180 links east of Meridith-street, thence 400 links southerly.

Dated this 28th day of September, 1906, at the office of the Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, 341 Pitt-street, near Bathurst-street, Sydney.

For the Board of Water Supply and Sewerage, WILLIAM HOLMES, Secretary.

(6f-29) Postmaster-General's Department, 26th September, 1906.

QUEENSLAND.

ATTENTION is directed to a Notice which appeared in the "Commonwealth Gazette" on the 22nd instant, inviting Fresh Tenders for the SUPPLY OF TWINE and Delivery of the same at Brisbane.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN, Postmaster-General.

Department of Home Affairs, Melbourne, 25th September, 1906.

TENDERS FOR LEASE OF TRADE MARKS' OFFICE IN SYDNEY, NEW SOUTH WALES.

TENDERS will be received until NOON, TUESDAY NEXT, the 2nd OCTOBER, 1906, from Persons willing to Lease to the Commonwealth Premises for a TRADE MARKS' OFFICE, SYDNEY.

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DAVID MILLER, Secretary, Department of Home Affairs.

Postmaster-General's Department, Sydney, 20th September, 1906.

TENDERS will be received at the Office of the Deputy Postmaster-General, Adelaide, up to noon on WEDNESDAY, December 19th, 1906, for the Supply of Cable Terminals and Combined Terminal and Junction Boxes.

For particulars see Commonwealth "Gazette" of September 15th, 1906.

AUSTIN CHAPMAN, Postmaster-General.

VICTORIAN RAILWAYS.

SUPPLY AND FREIGHTAGE OF N.S.W. COAL.

Separate TENDERS are invited for the undermentioned supplies etc. Tenders endorsed "Tender for ....." must be lodged with the preliminary deposit, in the Tender Box, Railway Offices, Melbourne, not later than 10 a.m. on MONDAY, 8th OCTOBER. Tender forms at the Comptroller of Stores Office, Sydney, from Mr. A. Fraser, of 7 Watt-street, Newcastle, and at the Contractors' Room, Railway Offices, Melbourne (and in the case of Freightage at the office of the Agent-General for Victoria in London, also).

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No tender will necessarily be accepted.

L. McCLELLAND, Secretary.

TRAFALGAR ANNIVERSARY.

SOUTH WALES OFFICIAL CELEBRATION.

TOWN HALL, WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCTOBER 24. See Amusement Cols. regarding Tickets and Booking.

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These may be propagated either by division of roots, by grafting, or by cuttings. Many amateurs adopt the plan of dividing the roots during the annual digging of the flower borders, and let them take their chance, until their stems want tying up just before the flower season commences. But this rough-and-ready style should be discontinued by those who desire to cultivate fine blooms, for it not only conduces to the multiplicity of stems, each trying to rob its neighbour of nourishment, but prevents the light and air circulating amongst them, deprives the plants of their lower leaves, which has a very injurious effect on the proper development of flowers, and is also a harbour for insects, and other ills plants are liable to.

Propagation by cuttings is undoubtedly the best way of propagating any particular variety, and the best time for taking these is during October or early in November. They should be selected from plants having short-jointed, sturdy growths, taking the cuttings about 4in long, making a clean cut just below a joint, and removing a few of the lower leaves; prepare some well-drained 3-inch pots, fill them up to within a quarter of an inch of the rim with a light, rich compost; put in four cuttings at equal distances round the pot, and one in the centre; give them a good watering, and place them in a frame or any shaded place for a few days until they are rooted; then give them plenty of air to thoroughly harden them to the full outdoor temperature, when they may be transferred to their permanent quarters in favourable weather. After the plants have made about 3in of growth in their new quarters, pinch out the leader in each shoot; these will then break out into three growths. When the shoots have grown about 18in high they should be staked about 6in apart, so as to allow plenty of light and air to circulate among them. About March the amateur will observe a sudden cessation of growth, as the plants are then about forming their flower buds, and as soon as these are large enough thin out the superfluous ones with a pair of fine-pointed scissors, taking care always to leave the crown or central bud. From this time forth all the energies of the plant will be concentrated on these buds, and to allow more to remain must be a waste of power.

The proper time to feed chrysanthemums with stimulants is still an open question with many growers, but if the soil in which they are placed has been well prepared with horse manure, pulverised bones, soot, charcoal, and lime well incorporated therewith, it will leave very little to be desired in the shape of fresh food. More than half the battle in the cultivation of the chrysanthemum lies in the fact of having the soil properly prepared, for without it good blooms cannot be obtained, no matter how the plants are subsequently fed. If good blooms are desired, build up a strong and healthy plant which will carry them, and bring them to perfection. If food is not supplied until after the bud is formed, such assistance will surely arrive too late to prove of any benefit, and disappointment will ensue. The old-fashioned idea of feeding chrysanthemums only after the buds have set has long been exploded by all good growers. To be clear on this important point an intermediate line must be drawn, and the composition in which the plants are growing must be taken into account. This in reality is the very foundation upon which every cultivator must base his treatment if a satisfactory result be expected.

CACTUS AND SHOW DAHLIAS.

Those amateurs who grow dahlias last season will have a fair stock of the old stools, and from any of which half a dozen to a dozen reliable plants can be obtained by division. The cactus variety is so distinct from the ordinary garden dahlia that at first sight one would not recognise it to be one. The peculiar spreading form of the florets and their varied and brilliant colours combine to render it a general favourite as a highly ornamental plant. Its treatment is exactly similar to that usually given to other dahlias. The flowers, however, do not usually come up above the foliage so much as might be desirable, and are consequently somewhat concealed, but it is devoid of that lumpy appearance that large double dahlias present. It is now plentiful in our nurseries, and largely grown in our gardens.

The stools should at once be divided as the eyes or shoots show in the crown of the stool, taking off one tuber with each eye or shoot, and if there be more eyes than one the weaker shoot or eyes should be bruised out, so as to leave only one shoot to grow eventually. All dahlias only grow eyes or shoots from the crown of the stool. The tuber is not covered all over with eyes, hence the necessity of taking off a part of the crown with each tuber; and as the eyes cannot be detected until they commence growing there is great danger in dividing before the eyes show. Each tuber should have about 3in of earth over the crown, and placed all in the same direction ready for staking. All dahlias when planted out, and also when starting to grow, should be watered, but great care must be taken not to water when the sun is shining upon the plant, as if so the effect of the sun's shining upon the water will be to cut the young plant through almost as effectually as a knife.

The eyes will be breaking on the dahlia stools for the next two months. Until, therefore, all the varieties are planted it is necessary to frequently look over the stock, and as soon as the eyes can be seen divide and plant. Being good-natured things they will grow in almost any soil, but preference is given to a light soil, which gives them the freest scope for expansion of their tubers as these grow and swell. Unless the amateur has a fair amount of knowledge respecting the properties of artificial manures it would be wiser and better to leave them alone for dahlia culture. A grower cannot go very far wrong in using good manure so long as hot manure is kept from actual contact with a cut or broken end of a tuber. Many people growing dahlias content themselves with using only one stake, and the plant is tied to this with a piece of stout string or bayband, and the plant left to take its chance; but this is slovenly growing. A dahlia should be grown with five shoots or branches tied out separately to five stakes. In tying out the lateral shoots great care must be taken to avoid breaking off these shoots at the angle where they join the main stalk, this being a very weak spot. As soon as vigorous growth appears a watchful eye must be kept for slugs. Soon after daybreak they will be making their way home. This is a good time for the lime bag, or the lime may be used at night, but it must be used often, as the lime slakes very quickly, and once slaked the virtue is gone. Red spider and thrips will often attack the young dahlias. The appearance of the upper sides of the leaf will soon tell tales, which an inspection of the lower side will soon confirm. If either pest be found, syringe, or, what is the same thing, apply the hose under the leaves. This is generally effectual to get rid of either insects.

FUCHSIAS.

The present is the best season of the year for the propagation of fuchsias, and anyone who is desirous of having a good show of these old and general favourites throughout the coming season should at once commence operations. During the whole of October and the early part of November it will be quite easy for anyone having a few old plants just starting into growth or able to obtain a few cuttings from some friend to root a good supply with very little trouble, for nothing in the floral world can exceed the elegance of fuchsias when well grown. They are very properly much appreciated for the beauty of their flowers, and the elegance of their habit, for whether grown in the open ground, bushhouse, or conservatory, few things are more generally admired. To have fine plants yielding a profusion of bloom most of the year, cuttings should be taken at once—the sooner the better, if young wood can be obtained.

Take the young shoots from the old plants as soon as they make them, and they have grown about 2 inches in length, neatly dress and place them round the edge of the smaller flower pots, putting four or six into a 4-inch pot. If the soil is suitable and they are kept moist and out of the sun they will soon make roots, in two or three weeks at most, and then they may be potted off in single pots. Everything should be done to induce the cuttings to speedily root; if allowed to remain dormant through exposure to the sun, or neglect in watering, they get checked and stunted, and never afterwards grow freely. Let the soil they are struck in consist very largely of sand, in fact they will strike well in shallow boxes, or pans filled entirely with fine silver sand, and if kept moist they will not even droop their leaves, and rapidly callous over and form roots. Pot off as soon as roots are formed about an inch in length into small pots; thus with a little care and forethought anyone may grow good plants of almost any of the varieties, and perfect plants four or five feet high may be grown from cuttings in four or seven months, and become model plants in health and bloom.

Never put fuchsias into large pots at once. If they have been rooted half a dozen in a pot, put them singly into the smallest pot at first, and as they quite fill these with roots, shift them into a size larger, and so on, until they reach the size the plants are to bloom in, bearing in mind the fact that they like to feel the side of the pot with their roots, from which they get air through the pores. Although in striking the cuttings there must be a fair amount of sand, after the cuttings have made roots they will require soil of a better quality. A compost of loam, decayed cowdung, and a moderate proportion of sand will do very well, but see that there is a large proportion of the decayed manure.

To cultivate successfully a few nice specimens of fuchsias should be the ambition of every amateur. The cultivation is so simple and the plants are so beautiful that the wonder is that they are not found in every garden. Amongst the best and choicest varieties of these charming plants, the following are recommended:—Doubles—Avalanche, Jubilee, Madame Bruant, Molesworth, Phenomenal, Mrs. E. G. Hill; singles—Beauty of Exeter, Mrs. Bright, Countess of Aberdeen, Mrs. Marshall, Mrs. George Rundle, Rose of Castille Improved. With these 12 varieties the amateur will possess a grand and valuable collection.

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Valparaiso, which has just suffered so grievously by earthquake, it had not been in existence much more than 40 years when it was captured by Drake from the spaniards, an officer of which nation, one Juan de Saavedra, had founded the city in 1536. Not many years later Varlparaiso suffered a like experience at the hands of Hawkins, another Elizabethan hero, who took the city in 1596. Four years later it was sacked by the Dutch corsair Van Noort, and twice within the last 200 years it has been visited by severe earthquakes, to say nothing of the earthquake shocks that have been felt from time to time.

Emperor Franz Joseph is 76 years of age, and may fitly rank as the G.O.M. of European monarchs.

He came to the throne at the same age as did Queen Victoria, and in length of reign he is far ahead of any other European monarch. In England's history his record has only been twice exceeded—by Queen Victoria and King George III. In these 58 years he has seen his brother shot by bloodthirsty Mexicans, and his sister-in-law become a hopeless lunatic. The Crown Prince Rudolph took his own life; "Johann Orth" disappeared at sea; and other members of the family have either cut short their lives or disgraced their position. Worst of all blows the aged Emperor has had to suffer was the assassination of the beautiful Empress at Geneva. It may not be generally known that the file used by the assassin Luccheni, as well as the instruments employed in the post-mortem examination, were placed by the Austrian Envoy at Geneva in a bath of nitric acid, and slowly dissolved away.

Queen Victoria of Spain has lost no time in lending the pleasing impress of her features to complicate the amateur's collection of postage stamps. The new stamp shows the arms of Spain with the Royal Crown, and the portrait of the Queen in relief. They do not appear to take the place of the ordinary postage stamps in commerce. Published at the price of about a penny apiece, they were privately designed to aid the funds of a society for the prevention of tuberculosis, somewhat after the fashion of King Edward's hospital stamps in England.

General Booth has been giving some advice for the attainment of old age. The precepts on which, it must be admitted, he himself has flourished wonderfully, include "Eat as little as possible." "Drink plenty of water in preference to adulterated concoctions." "Take exercise." "Have a system, but do not be a slave to it." "Do not fill your life with a lot of silly and sordid pleasures, so that when you come to die you will find you have not really lived."

Lieut.-General Sir Jas. Hills-Johnes, G.C.B., V.C., who recently celebrated the 73rd anniversary of his birthday, was one of the two soldiers who won their Cross on the same day of July, 1857. He was a second-lieutenant then, and in the operations before Delhi was in charge of two guns of Tombs's troops, which were charged by a surprise party of rebel native cavalry. To give his men time to get a round of grape in, Hills charged the chargers single-handed. He accounted for two, and was put down by a third; rose again and accounted for two more. The sixth man was on the point of accounting for him, when Tombs arrived to the rescue, and won his V.C. also. Sir James, in right of his wife, a co-heiress, added her father's patronymic to his own, by Royal license, a good many years ago.

A Lama living at Lhassa has issued a series of predictions concerning 1907, which must afford small comfort to the Tibetans. "The king of the year," he says, "is Saturn, under whose malign influence meritorious people will suffer and thieves prosper. Great disorder will prevail. The rich will satisfy their hunger at the expense of the poor, and the earth will quake thrice."

Ere long cremation, in the opinion of the Medical Officer of Health for the City of London, will be the recognised method of disposing of the dead. Sentiment only prevents the general adoption of cremation at once; but the old prejudice is stated to be rapidly fading away, the public realising that cremation is more sanitary, and in every way more satisfactory than earth-to-earth burial. At one time it was urged that cremation would destroy evidences of foul play, but that suggestion has long since been shown to be worthless, inasmuch as, according to the Medical Officer, the regulations in force are so strict that, if anything, there is less risk in that respect in the case of cremation than with the usual method of burial. To evidence the gradual growth of cremation, the medical authority in question gives figures to show that, whereas in 1885 only three cremations took place in the country, last year the total was 604, raising to 5011 the aggregate for the 21 years.

The latest story of a quest for concealed wealth beyond the dreams of avarice comes from Vancouver Island, B.C. A chief of the Nanaimo tribe of Indians is organising an exploring expedition into the interior of that large island to locate a wonderful waterfall. According to a tribal tradition gold is continually descending over this fall, the Indians of bygone times collected considerable quantities of the precious metal. The chief who is now going to search for this watery marvel says he saw, in his boyhood, a golden bullet cut out of the hide of a deer.

General Jose Gomez, a Cuban insurgent leader, whose arrest was recently notified, is a typical South American sword-in-hand politician, whose footsteps have been dogged by would-be assassins for several years. During his campaign for the Presidency of Cuba he was always accompanied by a thousand horsemen. Fearing that he would be struck down by a police desperado, he made his way to New York last October, and was careful to have 100 detectives posted about his person during the journey. There was a rumour at the time that he went to the States to arrange for a supply of arms, and recent events appear to justify the hint.

German tourists in Denmark paid a visit to Charlottenburg with the object of seeing the summer palace of King Frederick. They met a gentleman walking alone, of whom they inquired whether it would be possible for them to obtain access to the gardens. "Certainly," he replied, "I happen to have the key," and for half an hour he led the party about the grounds, pointing out their beauties and entertaining the strangers with lively conversation. At last he took his leave with the words:—"If you care to see the stables, just say that you have the King's permission." It was the King himself. He shook hands with each member of the party, and bade them farewell.

President Roosevelt holds the same opinion as Queen Alexandra on the wearing of the plumes of white herons. Writing to the Audubon Society he says:—"Permit me, on behalf of both Mrs. Roosevelt and myself, to say how heartily we sympathise not only with the work of the Audubon Society generally, but particularly in their efforts to stop the sale and use of the so-called 'aigrettes'—the plumes of white herons. If anything, Mrs. Roosevelt feels even more strongly than I do in the matter."

The magnitude of the industrial demand for the skin of the alligator may be adequately realised from the fact that in a single decade, from 1890 to 1900, according to the United States Fish Commission, no fewer than three million alligators were killed in the State of Florida alone. If the neighbouring States where the animal is to be found are included, it is estimated (says a writer in the "Country Gentleman") that during the 10 years named over five million alligators perished. This great host of saurians were slaughtered for the value of their hides. And to-day the hide of the alligator is still increasing in value.

NOT INHERITED.

Only a small percentage of the millions that have Consumption have inherited it. In nearly every instance it was a neglected cough or cold that developed weak lungs, and Consumption followed. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is taken aright at the beginning, it checks the cough, soothes and heals the lungs, and assists nature to throw off the disease. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy always cures.—Advt.

SCIENCE NOTES.

W. G. P.

THE MERITS OF THE TURBINE.

No subject is being more energetically discussed among engineers than the merits of the turbine, and opinions conflict a good deal. As is apt to be the case, the first unadulterated enthusiasm—that, for instance, felt when the Turbinia made its famous 40-mile an hour dash round the fleet at Spithead—has not been fully warranted by nine or ten years' experience. The strongest case for the turbine is put by Parsons and his followers. They claim that the piston engine has reached finality, and must be superseded in all vessels over 16 knots sea-speed, which means in about one-fifth of the world's tonnage. Parsons—the Hon. Charles Algernon Parsons, M.A., D.Sc., F.R.S.—will no doubt take place among the first rank of inventors, a position for which he was well equipped, both by nature and art. He is the fourth son of that third Earl of Rosse whose telescope became famous, and was long the largest in the world; and he graduated as 11th Wrangler at Cambridge in 1876. A judicious summing up of the turbine question has been done by H. C. Sadler. Reliability, economy, and adaptability to changing conditions are the general points to be kept in mind as regards a marine engine. The turbine does not suffer from comparison with reciprocating engines as to the first two, but it falls away at present a good deal in the last respect—adaptability. There is a conflict of interest between the efficiency of the turbine and the efficiency of the screw. The turbine must be driving at a high rate of revolution to be worth while; but, on the other hand, when it passes a certain limit of speed the efficiency of the screw falls off rapidly; and not only so, but smaller screws must be employed. Minor advantages of the turbine are that it gains in economy of weight and space, and its forces are so well balanced that there is little vibration. Of course, the invention is still in its infancy, and there are a number of rival systems. These fall generally under two types distinguished by the pressure existing in the clearance spaces between the guide and the rotating blades. If this pressure is greater than that of the steam as it leaves the rotating blades, the turbine is classed as "reaction type"; if equal, as "impulse type." Some systems demand a high speed of revolution, and this has to be broken down by gearing. By reason of its greater simplicity, the turbine is less liable to breakage than the reciprocating engine, though where the steam velocity is high there is considerable erosion of the blades. A fundamental difficulty is that reversing is not possible; for this purpose a special reversing turbine or a reciprocating engine has to be provided. This is a serious drawback, and puts the turbine out of court for vessels which must be frequently stopped and started. Mr. Sadler sums up the case by remarking that so far as reliability is concerned there seems to be no reason why the turbine should be inferior to the reciprocating engine, while from the point of view of economy and speed the turbine has shown itself in many ways superior. At very low speeds, however, the reciprocating engine is superior in economy of steam, but against this the turbine requires less oil, and rather less engine-room staff. The turbine in its present state is not suitable for all classes of ships. Where the speed is high it may be used to advantage, but in slow cargo boats, or for those vessels that have to be started and stopped at frequent intervals, the turbine is not suitable. None the less, it can be widely applied, from the small yacht up to the Cunarder, with 70,000 indicated horse-power.

THE SOLID EARTH.

When the last generation went to school the earth was generally described as a thin solid crust enclosing a fluid and fiery interior, and this notion is still widely current, because it is still no one's business in education to see that we know the truth about nature and about ourselves, though we must be very anxious about the parts of speech. This idea was a too simple induction from the admitted fact that we began as a whirling mass of gas, and have cooled down through some hundred millions of years. Of course, we should go on getting colder and colder until we were covered with ice, and then until even our air froze and we came within sight of the universal stagnation of absolute zero. And at the long, long last something like this does happen to planet and star unless catastrophe intervenes. But the descent into Averaus is not down a mathematical curve—there are many factors to come into play. We know now of the disintegrating radium-like elements that give out great stores of heat as they break up, and this process may be widespread enough to keep up the temperature of both sun and earth for a time we cannot calculate. Indeed, all estimates of cosmic time are possible only when the conditions are reduced to mathematical simplicity, and since nature is never very simple, such inferences are apt to go widely astray. This has been so with the notions of the interior of the earth. The reaction from the quite simple view began in 1862, when Lord Kelvin examined the rigidity of the earth from the point of view of tides. The gravitation effect of sun and moon influences, of course, not only the oceans, but the whole of the earth's mass. If this was mainly fluid obviously tidal effects would be much greater than if it was mainly solid. And, in fact, the tides were much too small for our mass to have any considerable fluidity. Hence Kelvin concluded that on the whole we were more rigid than glass, but not quite so rigid as steel. In 1880 Professor G. H. Darwin, incidental to his great work on tidal friction, returned to the question with better data at command. He concluded that our mass yielded less than a solid globe of steel would do. Hence it could not be a liquid or a crust. And now Professor T. J. See, an American astronomer of very high repute, reaches much the same result by an independent method, which may be applied also to the other planets as to whose degree of rigidity up to now we have had no means of knowing anything. Professor See's result for the earth is that it has a rigidity greater than wrought iron, and nearly as high as that of nickel steel. We are practically as strong as the armour of a battleship. This rigidity necessarily varies, becoming greater as we pass from surface to centre. The rigidity of the crust is only about one-sixth that of the average of the shell, while the centre has three times the rigidity of the core. Using the same method, he is able to say that Venus is more solid than platinum. Mars has only the rigidity of gold, while Mercury and the moon fall to the level of glass. The rigidity, one need hardly say, is mostly an effect of gravitation pressure; hence in the planets of great mass it becomes enormous. Jupiter, Saturn, Uranus, and Neptune have an average rigidity from three to eighteen times that of nickel steel, while the sun is over 2000 times as rigid as steel. This overturns many preconceptions. One-tenth of the way to the centre the sun has become 22 times as rigid as steel. Hence the ascending and descending currents observed can really be practically nothing but superficial.

We are familiar with the solid, the liquid, and the gas, as representing three "states of matter," but this is a very rough generalisation, though it suits the conditions that normally hold in our own world. It is natural for us to suppose that anything as rigid as steel must be cold and solid. But this does not follow. A liquid may achieve rigidity in several ways. It can do so by virtue of rapid motion, and under enormous pressure it may be practically rigid, although still retaining sensational capsizing of pantloads of stock. On the other hand, the melting point of nearly all solids is raised by pressure; hence the interior of a planet might be virtually solid, although its mass was far above the boiling point of platinum. So there is a "critical temperature" for gases, above which no amount of pressure will liquefy them. Under these, to us, abnormal conditions of pressure and temperature, therefore, it is clear that matter must possess properties very different from those we commonly observe, and it probably only leads to confusion if we try to force these "states of matter" under one or other of the familiar terms—solid, liquid, and gas.

AS WE GROW COLD.

While we must not lose sight of these considerations, it remains true that the dissipation of heat proceeds evenly, moment by moment, millennium by millennium. Just as the sun's rays never stop, so our own dark-heat radiation goes on always; and so far as this universe is concerned, this heat is lost forever. It is like water in a hill reservoir escaping through pipes and spreading over a low-lying plain: once it gets down its power of doing work is gone. However knowledge may add to them, the sources of this heat cannot be inexhaustible, and we must therefore in the long run grow cold and silent. The sequence of events makes a curious speculation, though it very remotely concerns us. Long before the surface falls uniformly to the centigrade zero all the higher forms of life will cease; though micro-organisms may last on some millions of years longer. Then the oceans will freeze solid. When we have cooled some 30 degrees below zero the carbon dioxide of the atmosphere will liquefy, enough of it there will be to form snailow seas here and there. Long later, at about 195 degrees below zero, we shall be covered with an ocean of liquid air 30ft deep. Then this, too, will freeze hard, then we shall sink slowly, and more slowly, till we pass the boiling point of hydrogen (—240 deg. C.) and its melting point (—262 deg. C.), and come to the sluggish cold of liquid helium. Science, you know, can produce such low temperatures for us now, and show us what things will be like at —266.5 C. When we reach that, our world will be within six and a half degrees of absolute zero and the death of atoms. A few years ago that seemed the end, the ultimate disaster of material things. Writing of low temperature research in the October of 1898, in this journal, I remarked:—"In the chill and desolate regions that surround —273 deg. C., atoms that since the crash of worlds first sent them hurrying on their homeless march have never known a moment's stillness, find themselves, so to speak, beside an open grave!" Then that was the last word. But meantime within the atom itself a new world of movement, of energy, has opened up. It may be that the electron, our last link to the ether, is gifted with eternal life.

THE ULTRAMICROSCOPE.

A modern microscope is a marvel, but there is an absolute limit to its work. It will detect and show the form of an object whose diameter measures about eight-millionths of an inch. The unit of these small lengths is called a micron, and a micron is one-thousandth of a millimetre. The limit of the ordinary microscope, with the highest power made, is about one-fifth of a micron. It arises in this way. An opaque object in an illuminated field cuts off some of the light, and we perceive it by the differences. But waves of light only roughly form rays that make straight lines—actually they bend round an object a little. If it is very small, say, about half the wave length of the light itself, the light waves bend right round it and meet. Hence it cuts off no light, and remains invisible.

But science has to some extent got over this difficulty. However small an object is it reflects some of the light falling on it. This reflection may not indicate its true shape, but it will appear as a point of light, and so its existence will be revealed.

This is the root-principle of the ultramicroscope, which carries the eye down to the twenty-five millionth of an inch.

Certain solutions of gold are a rich ruby colour, a similar tint being obtained in the "purple of Cassius," one of the characteristic tests for that metal. Ruby glass is coloured sometimes by adding minute traces of gold salts. These small gold particles are, of course, far beyond the power of the microscope. But it occurred to Zsigmondy that if he placed a block of ruby glass on a dark background and illuminated it by a horizontal shaft of light these particles ought to stand out as points of light. He tried this, and even a relatively low power showed the tiny gold particles shining like stars in the night. The principle has been developed with all the mechanical dexterity for which the Zeiss optical works at Jena are celebrated, and the result is the ultra-microscope. A horizontal beam from an arc lantern is concentrated in a condenser lens, at the focus of which is a slit regulating the illumination of the object. Thus lit up, the object is observed from above, and things that no one ever hoped to see flash into sight. Colloidal solutions of the metals, or of albumen, or of dye-stuffs, appear transparent to eye and microscope. But not so in the ultramicroscope. In a solution of colloidal gold, for instance, the gold particles are seen in rapid oscillation and translation through the fluid. This solution is red by transmitted light, but the luminous particles appear green, which is, of course, the expected "complementary" colour. We do not know the exact size of those "colloid" particles. They represent, of course, a considerable aggregate of atoms. If we could assume they were cubical in shape they would be about one four millionth of an inch in diameter, but they are probably not cubes, but flat plates or needles. Again, rocksalt crystals may be coloured yellow by exposure to the vapour of sodium. The sodium particles added in this way become visible, and are seen to have a regular arrangement. It seems, too, that some chemical compounds of high molecular weight, such as albumen and may dye stuffs, resemble in solution colloid metals. In the case of a dye the particles appear as points of light complementary to the dye-colour. (Transmitted light is simply filtered free of the part of the spectrum which is reflected). A dilute solution, for example, of Prussian blue reveals a swarm of copper-coloured luminous points on a dark background. Other dyes, again, do not form these molecular aggregates, and even the ultra-microscope fails to resolve them. In a true solution, of course, the solute is present as individual atoms, which even now we do not hope to see. Dye stuffs, however, occupy an intermediate position between crystalloids and colloids, and they are present partly and sometimes in true solution, and partly and sometimes in the fine-grained suspension characteristic of colloid preparations of metals. Unfortunately, this great extension of the senses does not promise to help the biologist so much as the chemist. It is not likely, for instance, to reveal the ultra-micro-organism of yellow fever; for if this appeared at all, it could not be distinguished from a particle of plain albumen.

THE ABATTOIRS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—In a previous letter I showed, from the evidence given before the Standing Committee on Public Works that Glebe Island has long ceased to be a suitable site for abattoirs, that the meat of cattle slaughtered there was not wholesome for human consumption, and that the site might be put to more profitable uses. I now propose to go further, and point out that the opposition to their removal offered by the property-owners and business people in the immediate neighbourhood of the abattoirs should count for very little when placed in the balance against the fact that the removal is in the interest of the great Australian meat trade, because the meat sent from the present abattoirs, being of an inferior quality, is calculated to create a prejudice in the English and other markets against all Australian meat, with the result that prices obtainable must be far below what would be realised were the stock slaughtered under proper conditions, the principal one of which is that the abattoirs be in the neighbourhood of extensive areas of land as resting and feeding paddocks. The reduction of price is a direct loss, not only to the squatter, but to the revenue of the whole of Australia. If the squatter takes, as he does, a pride in producing cattle and sheep of a quality equal at least to any ranch-grown stock on the face of the globe, why should "Little Pedlington," in the shape of Rozelle and the lower parts of Leichhardt and Annandale, step in, and by their action assert that their interests are greater than are those of the rest of the State? Notwithstanding the fact that the "Pedlingtonians" take up that position, surely the Government has a backbone sufficiently rigid to deal with the matter in a statesmanlike way, and take immediate steps for the removal of the abattoirs to a site where paddocks as indicated above can be provided. A report is current to the effect that the Premier is personally favourable to the removal, as is also his Chief Secretary (Mr. Hogue), but that he is afraid to offend Mr. Law, the representative of those opposing the removal, as he is in doubt as to which—Mr. Hogue or Mr. Law—has the larger following. The report is current, but I do not say that there are good grounds for such. Certainly the use of a Government launch was granted to Mr. Law to take some members of Parliament on a tour round Glebe Island and to Homebush Bay, when that gentleman was afforded an opportunity to say to the party a lot of things that were not so, among which was the assertion that the stock could be punted from Homebush Bay to Glebe Island at a cost of £38 per week. These figures will not be taken seriously by people acquainted with the handling of stock when it is remembered that the weekly average of stock to be punted would be about 34,000 sheep and 1300 cattle. Apart altogether from the question of cost, punting would not be resorted to by stockowners on account of the injury that would result to cattle in loading and discharging of mixed lots, besides the occasional capsizing of pantloads of stock. On all sides it is admitted that trucking would be impracticable; and the people of the western suburbs have resolved that the driving of cattle through their suburbs must cease, in which resolve they are supported by the Premier, who, to a deputation recently, expressed surprise that the people had not erected barriers across the road so as to put a stop to the cattle-driving nuisance; also that he saw no reason why the nuisance should not cease within a few months. In the light of the above facts, the Government would not be justified in spending money to erect up-to-date abattoirs on Glebe Island, for if it did there would be the spectacle of well-appointed costly buildings without stock to slaughter in them.

In opposing the removal of the abattoirs, property-owners and business people in the neighbourhood should see that they are working against their own interests, for the reason that directly the abattoirs are away the Island will be used for wharfs and stores, etc, assuring an increased population there, with improved surroundings, increased value of houses and land, and a larger volume of business to the shops.

Finally, the abattoirs must, in the interest of Australia, go—where, and under what control, are matters that I trust can be left to the Government to decide. I am, etc.,

Sept. 26. C. T. S.

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SOCIAL.

The uncertainty of the weather early in September was one of the reasons why the members of the Australian Jockey Club decided to hold their Spring race meeting a little later this year, and it was hoped bright, fine days would prevail. At the moment of writing the prospect of its being fine seems remote, as cold winds and rain are prevalent, which is most unfortunate, and will mean disappointment to thousands. However, the clouds may roll away, and we may still look forward to a bright and gay race week. The social fixtures for the next fortnight are many and varied, and in addition to the races there is to be a garden party at the State Government House, one at the Victoria Barracks, and several similar private entertainments. Balls, dinner and theatre parties galore, have been arranged for every evening, and Sydney will be gayer than it has been for a long time.

His Excellency the Governor and Miss Rawson returned to Sydney on Thursday morning after spending a pleasant visit to Widgiewa. His Excellency the Governor has signified his intention of attending the A.J.C. races today, and will also be present at the Australian Club ball and St. Vincent's Hospital ball next week. Yesterday Sir Harry Rawson opened the wild flower show at Gosford.

H.M.S. Powerful, with his Excellency the Admiral on board, returned to Sydney yesterday, and will remain in port for some weeks. Lady Fawkes has also returned and taken up her residence again at Admiralty House.

Last Thursday afternoon Mrs. T. A. Dibbs gave an enjoyable "at home" at her residence, Grahwaite, North Sydney. The guests were received in the garden by Mr. and Mrs. Dibbs, assisted by the Misses Dibbs, and a pleasant hour was spent strolling through the grounds, the azalea bed near the gates and the ixias and bulbs in the grass being objects of much admiration. Refreshments were served in a marquee on the lawn, and a band played a bright selection of music at intervals. Amongst those present were Miss Darley and Mrs Halsey, Lady Burton, Mrs. Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Dibbs, Mrs. and Miss Dangar, Miss Greta Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. W. Chisholm, Mrs. S. Laidlay, Mrs. F. W. Knox and the Misses Knox, Mrs. Ewen Fraser, the Misses Gordon, Mr. and the Misses Kelso King, Mrs. Cruickshank, Mrs. Weeche, M.s. Thring, Mrs. and the Misses Docker, Miss Morehead, Miss E. U. Walker, Mrs. and Miss Willis, Mrs. and Miss Gwen, Mrs. and Miss Mackay, the Misses Ryrie, Mrs. Alston, Mrs. Arthur Allen, Miss Mitchell and Miss Dorothy Mitchell, Miss Madge Fox, Mrs. D. Gordon, Mrs. and the Misses W. Mort, Professor Carslaw, Messrs. Roxburgh, Robb, Massey, Rundle, Frank Lamb, Morris, and Dobbie.

The Lord Mayor has issued invitations to a dinner at the Town Hall on Thursday next, October 4, when he will entertain the committee and executive members of the Australian Jockey Club, together with visiting committee men of racing clubs in the other States, who are in Sydney just now in connection with the forthcoming race carnival.

The marriage of Mr. Duncan Campbell Osborne, youngest son of the late Mr. Alick Osborne, of Kangaroo Valley, with Miss Mona Evelyne Cochill Maddrell, second daughter of Mr. R. J. C. Maddrell, of Undervale, Braidwood, was solemnised at St. James' Church, on Wednesday, September 26, 1906, by the Rev. J. Kirkland. The bride wore a handsome dress of white duchesse satin, with a large ruche of tulle at the foot and a tucked tulle yoke, with berthe of Point de Gaze lace. Her tulle veil was fastened with a diamond aigrette, arranged over a coronet of orange blossom. Her bouquet of roses and orange blossoms and necklet of pearls and diamonds were gifts from the bridegroom. The bridesmaids were the Misses May, Isabel, and Thelma Maddrell, sisters of the bride. The two elder ones wore a lettuce-green chiffon taffetas, and white Point d'Esprit net bodices trimmed with green taffetas and lace, and hats of white Tagal straw, with large white feathers. Miss Thelma Maddrell was in white Swiss muslin, much trimmed with Valenciennes lace, and a pale green sash, worn with a white crinoline hat. They carried bouquets of white daffodils and double white primroses, tied with green tulle, which were presented by the bridegroom, with necklets of pearls and enamel, and a "Nellie Stewart" bangle to the youngest one. Mr. F. Osborne, brother of the bridegroom, was best man. After the ceremony there was a reception at the Australia Hotel, where the large number of handsome presents were in view. The bride's travelling dress was of hydrangea pink Sicilian, with a short bolero and a cream net blouse, and a tulle hat with feathers and flowers to match. Amongst the numerous guests were Mrs. Knapp (bride's grandmother), Miss Maddrell (aunt), Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maddrell and the Misses Maddrell, Mr. Charles Maddrell, Mrs. F. Douglas, Mrs. M'Cabe and Miss J. M'Cabe, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Osborne (Currandooley), Mrs. Oliver, Mr. J. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Septimus Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. F. Wilkinson, Mr. Harry Osborne (Young), Mrs. Stanley Wilkinson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Throsby, Captain and Mrs. Moseley, Mr. and Mrs. W. Trickett, Mr. Val. Osborne, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Osborne, Mrs. and Miss J. B. Bettington, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bauer, Mrs. D'Arcy Osborne, the Misses Gordon (Manar), Mrs. E. Mackellar, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Morse, Miss Mary Osborne, Miss Daisy Windeyer, Miss Gurney, Mademoiselle Soubeiran, Messrs. R. Maddrell, E. Maddrell, C. Maddrell, P. Maddrell (brothers of the bride), Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Maddrell, the Misses Turner, the Rev. Mr. Kirkland, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Osborne, and Messrs. S. and F. Osborne (Currandooley).

A large number of ladies assembled at Lindfield, Darling Point, last Wednesday afternoon, in response to an invitation from Lady Suttor and Miss Myline to a "Tea and pantry" tea. The contributions which the visitors were asked to bring or send were for the new Nurses' Home in connection with the District Nursing Association. Lady Suttor's appeal met with a most generous response, and the whole of the necessary linen, glass, and china required for the home have by this means been provided, whilst almost sufficient money was given to buy the cutlery and plate. The contributions were arranged on the large verandah at Lindfield, which was enclosed for the occasion. There were sheets and pillowcases, blankets and quilts, table cloths, doyleys, towels, dusters, a dinner service, three breakfast sets, five toilet sets, and a quantity of glass, in fact, almost everything that was required for these parts of the home. The visitors were entertained at tea by Lady Suttor, assisted by her daughters and Miss Myline, and amongst those present were Lady and Miss Darley, Mrs. Cockshett and Miss Brown, Mrs. and Miss Myline, Mrs. Consett Stephen, Mrs. E. W. Knox, Mrs. Colin Stephen, Mrs. H. E. Eater, Mrs. and the Misses Paul, Mrs. MacLean and Miss Campbell, Mrs. Gemmell Smith, Miss Consett Stephen, Miss Thea Stephen, Miss Mitchell, and Miss Dorothy Mitchell, The Woollahra branch generously gave £50, the North Shire branch £20, and the Darlinghurst branch also sent in a subscription towards furnishing the new home.

The Lord Mayor is giving what might be termed a municipal dinner on October 18 in the Town Hall, to which the Mayors of the municipalities within the metropolitan area are being invited to meet his Excellency the Governor, who has been pleased to accept his lordship's invitation.

To augment the Lady Mayoress's fund for the Thirlmere Home for Consumptive Women a garden fete is to be held at Ellerslie, Darlinghurst, on Thursday, October 11, by kind permission of the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress. The fete is to be opened by Miss Rawson.

Miss Hodge and Miss Newcomb were "at homes" at Shirley, Edgecliff-road, on Wednesday afternoon, when they invited a number of visitors to witness some specimen lessons in dancing, Swedish drill, and other forms of physical exercise, which were given in the school hall. Those present were much interested in the exhibition, and were especially pleased with the children's school gardens and museum which were on view.

The committee of ladies organising the ball in aid of St. Vincent's Hospital, which is to take place on Wednesday next at the Town Hall, held a largely attended meeting during the week, when final arrangements about the ball were made. Full particulars of the attractions provided for the galleries will be found elsewhere, and the spectators on Wednesday night will also have an opportunity of seeing the beautiful decorations for the Australian Club ball, which by the courtesy of Jean and Co. and Dare and Son will be allowed to remain from the previous evening. His Excellency the Governor will be present, and will distribute the prizes to the successful competitors for the best "fancy dress" and the best "fancy set."

The annual conversazione in connection with the Woollahra Presbyterian Church was held at the Paddington Town Hall on Thursday, the 20th inst, and proved most enjoyable. The guests were received by the Rev. Ronald Macintyre and Mrs. Macintyre, and during the evening Professor Anderson Stuart recounted some experiences of his visit to the Holy Land. Professor Wilson exhibited a large number of scientific objects, and an excellent programme was contributed by the orchestral and choir. Small tables were placed about the hall, and refreshments served during the evening.

The hall of the Young Women's Christian Association presented a bright scene on Tuesday evening, 25th inst., when Lady M'Millan day evening, 25th inst., when Lady M'Millan was "at home" to members and friends of the association. About 200 visitors were present, amongst them being Lady Renwick and Miss Renwick, Lady Mikhouho Maclay and Mrs. Butler, Lady Renwick (president of the association), on behalf of Lady M'Millan, welcomed the guests. An excellent programme of music and recitations was rendered. Miss Edwards, in a short speech, urged upon all adults present the need for using their votes at the forthcoming elections. Supper was served in the restaurant and rest-room, after which the company dispersed, having spent an enjoyable evening. Many of those present learnt, for the first time, what attractions are offered by the Y.W.C.A. to all young women, who are at all times welcome at the institution.

The annual plain and fancy dress ball organised by Mrs. E. M. Drew in aid of the Young Australia Cot Fund was held at the Paddington Town Hall on Wednesday, and proved a great success. Amongst those present were Mrs. E. M. Drew, who wore black; Mrs. Dowglass, black; Miss Coutts, "Perrette"; Miss Doreen Douglass, "Starlight"; Miss Francis, "My Sweetheart"; Miss Nellie Coutts, "Government Tramways"; Miss Callachor, "Nurse"; Miss Ida Callachor, "Country Girl"; Miss Lily Greenwood, "Ma Mie Rosette"; Miss Nellie Lowe, "Sunflower"; Miss K. Roberts, "Swiss Peasant"; Miss Press, "Wallflowers"; Miss M. Rice, "Postmaid"; Miss Gertie Lonier, "Fairy"; Misses M'Closky, Mitchell, and Grayam, "Japanese Ladies"; Miss Amora, white silk, Limerick lace, and pearl trimmings; Miss Holdsworth, white muslin; Miss O. Holdsworth, white silk.

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THE COMMONWEALTH PARLIAMENT.

THE SENATE.

THURSDAY'S SITTING.

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MELBOURNE, Thursday.

In the Senate to-night, after the conclusion of the debate on the Federal capital question, the debate was resumed on the second reading of the Constitution Alteration Nationalisation of Monopolies Bill, and was further adjourned.

On resuming consideration in committee of the Constitution Act Alteration Special Duties Bill, the proposed addition to the new clause of the words, "for the purpose of providing funds for old age pensions," was negatived, and the words "of a description and" being struck out, the clause was carried.

The bill was reported.

In committee on the Constitution Act Alteration States' Debts Bill, the following new clause was agreed to:—"The Constitution is altered by the addition of the following section:—"The powers of Parliament relating to public debts of States shall extend to debts incurred since the establishment of the Commonwealth."

The bill was reported.

Senator Keating (Hon. Minister) moved the second reading of the Tasmanian Cable Rates Bill, which was agreed to, and the bill was passed through all its stages.

The Senate rose at 11.15 p.m.

FRIDAY'S SITTING.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The President took the chair at 10.30 a.m.

CONSTITUTION ALTERATIONS.

The reports of the committees on Constitution Alterations, Special Duties, and States Debts Bills were adopted.

It was resolved that the call of the Senate should take place on Tuesday for the third readings.

BOUNTIES BILL.

The MINISTER OF DEFENCE moved the second reading of the Bounties Bill, received from the House of Representatives.

Senator DOBSON (Tas.) thought the bill should be shelved until the Governments of the States had been consulted and reports obtained from the Agricultural Departments. He moved an amendment to that effect.

The debate was adjourned.

REFERENDUM BILL.

Senator KEATING (Tas.) moved the second reading of the Referendum Bill.

The debate was adjourned.

ADJOURNMENT.

The Senate adjourned at 4.40 p.m. till Monday afternoon.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Speaker took the chair at 10.30 a.m.

SUGAR LABOURERS' CONDITIONS.

Mr. BAMFORD (Q.) stated that a new arrival had been engaged for a Queensland sugar plantation for 12s per week and found. When the man learned that he was being paid less than other employees he left his employment, but was arrested and imprisoned for breach of agreement. Would the Minister take action to prevent the payment of the bounty to the planter if he considered that 12s per week was not a fair wage?

The MINISTER OF CUSTOMS said the circumstances as related were most extraordinary. He would institute inquiries.

NEW ZEALAND RECIPROCITY.

The PRIME MINISTER, replying to Mr. Thomas (N.S.W.), said he had received a reply from the New Zealand Premier stating that he was not in a position to express an opinion upon the fate of the reciprocity treaty, but he (Mr. Deakin) had kept himself in touch with public opinion of New Zealand through the newspapers and otherwise, and he regretted that the prospects were unfavourable.

THE STRACHAN CASE.

Mr. BROWN (N.S.W.) asked the Prime Minister whether, if the Royal Commission on Papua found that Captain Strachan had been subjected to injustice, the Federal Government would compensate him.

The PRIME MINISTER said that if the Royal Commission did find that injustice had been done the Government would be under an obligation to forward the evidence and findings to the British Government for its consideration.

POULTRY BONUS.

Dr. MALONEY (V.) asked whether the Government would consider the advisability of granting a bonus for the export of poultry.

The MINISTER OF CUSTOMS said he would like to have the matter placed before him more definitely.

PROPERTY ACQUISITION BILL.

The PRIME MINISTER, replying to Mr. Chanter (N.S.W.), said that he had received a communication from the New South Wales Premier enclosing the opinions of the New South Wales Attorney-General upon the Property Acquisition Bill. The Federal Attorney-General had commented upon those opinions point by point, and it appeared to him that it actually settled the issue involved.

WESTERN AUSTRALIAN RAILWAY SURVEY.

Mr. CARPENTER (W.A.) asked the Prime Minister whether he thought it advisable or possible to make one more effort to get the Western Australian Railway Survey Bill passed this session.

The PRIME MINISTER: If the hon. member can show me he has a majority in his favour it might be well to take it into consideration this session; but I am afraid the result will not justify his expectation.

THE AFRICAN ANT.

The MINISTER OF CUSTOMS, replying to Dr. Culpin (Q.), said that perhaps it would be well to prohibit the introduction of the African ant into Australia.

LIGHTHOUSES.

The MINISTER OF CUSTOMS said that the question of taking over lighthouses and lightkeepers from State control would be considered during the recess. Legislation was not necessary for the mere transfer of control, but was for other purposes.

WATER CONSERVATION.

Mr. CROUCH (V.) asked the Prime Minister whether he would take steps with the consent and co-operation, if necessary, of South Australia, Victoria, and New South Wales, to get the best expert and engineering advice as to locking, or using for navigation and irrigation, to the fullest extent, the Murray, Darling, and Murrumbidgee rivers.

The PRIME MINISTER said that the Premiers of the three States named had arrived at an agreement, upon which bills were being drafted for submission to their Parliaments. He failed to see how any offer of assistance would be welcome, but taking the deepest interest in this Australian project, if any assistance were desired, it would be cheerfully granted.

TELEPHONES AND GAMBLING HOUSES.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL moved the second reading of a bill to amend the Post and Telegraph Act, 1901. He stated the object was to give the department additional power to cancel agreements for the use of telephones in indecent houses.

Mr. KELLY (N.S.W.) said that some publications were passed through the post-office which were not newspapers at all.

Mr. JOSEPH COOK (N.S.W.) said he hoped the bill when passed would not become a dead letter. The Postmaster-General already had power if he liked to use it.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL said that many publications passed through the post which were not newspapers at all, but it would require an alteration of the law to prevent it. He would endeavour to obtain necessary power next session, but the question of a newspaper accepted in the United Kingdom was the best. In regard to telephones he could give instructions to prevent a renewal of agreements. Those instructions had been given, but they could be evaded by the transference of the telephones to other lessees, and the best efforts were defeated.

The second reading was agreed to, and the bill taken into committee.

THE ESTIMATES.

The House further considered the Estimates in committee.

Upon the defence vote,

Mr. M'CAY (Vic.) said that the Prime Minister's proposals were so vague, and the information so incomplete, that they could not now be fully discussed. Would the new ships be part of the Empire navy?

The PRIME MINISTER: They would be under the control of the Commonwealth, but in training and discipline he hoped to see them practically a part of the Imperial navy. The only political control would be that of the Commonwealth.

Mr. M'CAY said the best form of universal service was a universal cadet system.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL said that on account of its cost an Australian navy was out of consideration. The Government had proposed the next best thing under the circumstances.

Mr. JOSEPH COOK (N.S.W.) said he wanted some definite scheme submitted. The Prime Minister last night outlined nothing definite. They were entering their third period.

The TREASURER: We are gradually developing.

Mr. JOSEPH COOK said they must have a comprehensive scheme for the development of both arms of the service. His idea was to improve their existing schemes until they could get a better one. He objected to continually nibbling at the service.

Mr. WATSON (N.S.W.) said that, in view of the fact that the Government declared there must be a reduction of the military estimates next year, this must be a most inauspicious time to increase the estimate by some £70,000 or £80,000. He proposed, therefore, to move that the item be reduced by £50,000. As to details concerning this reduction, that must be left to expert knowledge at the service of the Government. He would allow the State Government to look after the cadets in preliminary training until they had arranged for their coastal defence. To test his amendment he would move a reduction by £1 as an indication of what was intended.

Mr. M'CAY (V.) said that if anything could show the absurdity of submitting the estimates so late in the session, when they could not be dealt with, it was the amendment submitted by the leader of the Labour party. He did not know whether the Government would accept this.

Mr. PAGE (Q.): They will have to accept it. I wish it was £250,000.

Mr. M'CAY: This kind of attack upon the military forces was not warranted. The forces were not properly equipped or trained, yet the trouble with the Government's proposals was that they were starting a second scheme before they had completed the first. He considered the proposed reduction sheer madness.

Mr. PAGE (Q.) said that if a million were voted for defence the Government would ask for more. They were in a worse position regarding defence than at any period since federation.

Mr. O'MALLEY (T.): Hear, hear! It is chaos.

Mr. PAGE (Q.) said he could easily show where reductions could be made. Major Bailey was an experienced officer, who paid his way to England for special training. He relinquished his position to go to South Africa upon active service, and upon his return he found that he had been deprived of his position.

The VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL: I cannot understand that.

Mr. HUTCHISON (S.A.): There are many other cases no one can understand.

Mr. PAGE said that if the amendment were carried retrenchment would be suffered by those least able to bear it, or who ought not to bear it. They should indicate exactly where the reductions should be made.

Mr. HUTCHISON said the Defence Department was in a state of chaos.

Dr. MALONEY (Vic.) said it was an infamy that certain men should be swayed by position and influence.

The amendment was negatived.

The Defence vote, £639,001, was agreed to.

An amendment moved by Mr. Frazer (W.A.) to strike out the salary of Major Hawker was negatived by 19 votes to 12, the minority consisting of 11 Labour members and Mr. Crouch.

Postmaster-General's Department, £2,646,201.

Mr. JOHNSON (N.S.W.) protested against such a method of voting away a million of money without the possibility of proper discussion.

The POSTMASTER-GENERAL said that after February next the flat rate telephone system would cease. The minimum charge for Melbourne, Sydney, Brisbane, and Adelaide under the revised regulation would be £5 per year, as against £6 previously suggested. Subscribers would be entitled to six free calls per day, or 2000 per annum; afterwards the charge would be a halfpenny per call. Under the present rates the charge in New South Wales for a business telephone was £8 per year, and for a domestic telephone £6. Under the new charges for towns of 10,000 population the charge for an instrument with six free calls per day would be £4, but for a two-party service £3 and for a three-party service £2 10s, and for additional calls a halfpenny would be charged. The system would operate at once.

The Estimates were passed, and the Supply Bill was put through all its stages.

NEW BILLS.

On the motion of the Minister for Home Affairs, a bill relating to the employment of telegraph messengers and a bill to amend the law relating to Parliamentary elections were read the first time.

ADJOURNMENT.

The House, at 6.30 p.m. adjourned till Tuesday.

NEW ZEALAND EXHIBITION.

NEW SOUTH WALES DISPLAY.

The first shipment of exhibits representing the manufactures and natural products of New South Wales for display at the Christchurch Exhibition is being forwarded by the Union steamer Waikare to-day.

Among the exhibits may be mentioned three high-grade pianos manufactured by Messrs. Beale and Co., Limited, at their Annandale factory. A fine collection of earthenware and pottery goods is being sent from Messrs. Bakewell Brothers, of Erskineville. A billiard table, made of tulip wood grown on the Richmond River, represents the work of Messrs. Hebron and Smith. The well-known firm of G. E. Crane and Sons are forwarding some highly finished specimens of mantels, fonts, columns, etc., manufactured from New South Wales marbles; and similar work is also being shown from the Commonwealth White Marble Quarries. Handsome showcases contain manufactures of Lever Brothers (Sunlight Soap and Oil Works), of Clifford, Love, and Co. (foods from New South Wales cereals), Aulsebrook and Sons (biscuits), Perdriau Brothers (rubber goods), John Sands (tin and metal printing), John Hunter and Son (boot manufacture), David Jones and Co (embroidered regalia), and William Leslie (baking powder, etc.).

A wool arch at the entrance to the New South Wales court, wool exhibits from the Technological Museum, and a ram's fleece weighing 37lb, forwarded by Mr. M. E. Maher, of the Collaroy station, Merriwa, afford evidence of our wool industry; and a showcase from Messrs. Vicars and Co. displays samples of the manufactured article. Our wine industry is represented by exhibits from H. J. Lindeman and J. T. Fallon. Messrs. Lyon, Cottier, and Co. are displaying stained-glass windows; Philip Lawrence a splendid collection of furs; Terrance and Rose, pyramidal display of bottle manufacture; Daniel Lee and Son, upholsterers' material; Maidment and Co., leather preparations; and the Fashion Manufactury, artificial floral work. The Potash Syndicate are sending an exhibit of potash mineral in various stages, and some imported ploughs, scoops, and other agricultural implements come from the Meadowbank Manufacturing Company.

Other exhibits include bullion embroidery by Miss Maud Moore, a collection of oil paintings of New South Wales flora by Mrs. Sarah Weiss, woodcarving by Mr. Harry Balchin, and some pictorial panel monochrome work by Mr. Wollaston Thomas.

As regards our natural resources, a section of the fine mineral display now closing at the Royal Exchange will be forwarded to Christchurch. The Forestry Department and Technological Museum are furnishing representative samples of our commercial timbers, both in a rough and in a highly-finished state. Mr. Frank Grimley has a fine exhibit of our timbers as applied to the coach and buggy making industry. From the Agricultural Department comes a collection of our vegetable products grown in various districts of the State. The Lands Departments are displaying a number of maps and diagrams, the Technical College specimens of students' work, and the Intelligence Department a unique collection of photographs illustrating the picturesque scenery and attractive tourist resorts of New South Wales.

Mr. W. J. Durie, who is also in charge of the Public schools' exhibit, has been entrusted with administrative work in connection with the whole court, and will leave by the steamer Waikare to-day. Some of the individual exhibitors and departments will also be represented, and Mr. C. O. G. Larcombe, of the Mines Department, will take the mineral exhibit to Christchurch early in October.

SHIRE COUNCILS.

FINLAY.—The progress committee is agitating for the selection of Wolumla as the official centre of the shire.

ADJUNGBILLY.—The department has advised that the £5 land qualification as regards occupiers need not apply to owners.

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Among the many illustrations appearing in this week's "Sydney Mail" are:—Laying Foundation-stone of the Singleton Cottage Hospital, the Great Cobar Mine, and Officers of the New Masonic Lodge, Raymond Terrace.

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THE CHURCHES.

His Grace the Archbishop of Sydney on Sunday morning preached in the Cathedral. On Tuesday morning he administered the Holy Communion in the Cathedral in connection with the opening of the first session of the fourteenth synod of the diocese; in the afternoon delivered his presidential address, and has presided daily during the week at the sittings of the synod. Yesterday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, he met in conference the Archdeacons and Rural Deans of the diocese.

It is thought likely that Archdeacon Tucker, of Ballarat, or Canon Sadlier, of St. Kilda, may be chosen as Bishop of Bendigo, in place of the late Bishop Langley.

On Saturday last the Archbishop of Sydney opened a new church hall at Werrington (N.S.W.), an outlying portion of the parish of St. Marys.

A handsome stained window has been erected in Christ Church, Cootamundra, by the parishioners, in memory of the late Mrs. Betts, wife of Rev. Canon Betts. The window fills in the central panel of a triplet, over the holy table.

The Rev. Edward Taylor, of Port Chalmers (N.Z.), has accepted the call to the ministerial charge of the Richmond Congregational Church (Vic.), in succession to the late Rev. F. H. Browne, who died recently in Sydney.

It is proposed to hold a Church Missionary Association Summer School at Wentworth Falls, Blue Mountains (N.S.W.), from January 11 to 19.

The Rev. Dr. Bruce, D.D., will leave Sydney on October 3 for Auckland (N.Z.), where he will attend the jubilee celebrations in connection with the Auckland Presbyterian Church, which commence on October 14.

A petition from Marrickville Presbyterian Church praying for permission to mortgage that property for £1200 was before the Presbytery of Sydney at its last meeting. After discussion, it was decided to recommend to the commission of the State General Assembly that the prayer of the petition be granted. It is proposed to apply the proceeds in purchasing land and in building a school hall, or in making additions to the church building.

Large congregations are attending the mission now being conducted by Sisters Miriam and Winnie in the Palmer-street Presbyterian Church.

The 73rd anniversary of the Pitt-street Congregational Church Sunday School was celebrated last Sunday, when the Rev. John Ferguson (St. Stephen's Presbyterian) preached in the morning, and the Rev. W. Cunliffe Jones in the evening. In the afternoon there was a musical service, and the presentation of prizes.

The Rev. Geo. Campbell, who has been visiting England and Scotland, is expected to reach Sydney at the end of next month.

The meetings of the Congregational Union will begin on Monday, the 22nd October, and will continue till the following Monday. The afternoon sessions are to be devoted to important matters of business concerning the work of the denomination. Steady progress has been made during the year in most branches of the work, and the programme for the new year's operations has in it features that leave no room for doubt as to the denomination's intention to take its share in State evangelisation. The morning session will be devoted to conferences and discussions on S.S. work and matters of public concern. The chairman-elect is the Rev. F. T. Pratt, M.A., of Katoomba.

Canadian Methodism reports an increase in membership for the year of 11,963. At the time of union in 1883 the number on the roll was 169,803, and it now reaches 317,717.

The celebrations in connection with the 61st anniversary of the Balmain East Methodist Church were concluded on Sunday last, when services were conducted by the Revs. W. Deane and W. W. Roger, and special hymns were sung by the children of the Sunday school, assisted by the choir. At a public gathering in connection with the anniversary, the Rev. F. J. Colwell said there were 137,600 Methodists in the State, so that about one man in every 10 was a Methodist. They had 574 churches, attended by 93,000 people, and 480 Sunday schools, with 4000 teachers, and over 48,000 scholars.

The Particular Baptist Church in Castlereagh-street celebrated its 45th anniversary on Wednesday evening last by a tea and public meeting, both of which were largely attended. At the evening meeting the pastor (Mr. F. Beedel) presided, being supported by Mr. Fremlin (pastor of the Elizabeth-street church), and Messrs. Spurway and Holler (of Ryde and Smithfield). The secretary (Mr. Miller) and the treasurer (Mr. Hobbs) presented reports which showed that steady progress had been made. Addresses were given by the ministers present. At the close a presentation was made to the pastor.

His Eminence the Cardinal will visit Granville on Sunday, October 14, to lay the foundation stone of the new Holy Trinity Church. The church, which is already in course of construction, will cost from £800 to £900.

The Rev. Father D. Griffin, who has been administrator at St. Patrick's, Albury, for the past ten years, has been appointed to the newly-created parish of Ganmain.

The Right Rev. Dr. Dunne, Bishop of Bathurst, will leave Ireland on his return journey via America, next month.

The Right Rev. Monsignor Long, V.G., of Bathurst, has received word from Rome that his Holiness the Pope has conferred the degree of D.D. on the Rev. J. J. Brophy, LL.B., of Dubbo.

His Grace the Coadjutor-Archbishop (Most Rev. Dr. Kelly) will to-morrow open the new convent at Brewarrina.

Since Atonement Day a year ago the Great Synagogue in Elizabeth-street has had its seating accommodation increased. The reading desk, which was formerly in the centre of the synagogue, has now been placed near the Ark at the western end, and the space which it occupied has been filled in with seats which will accommodate about 70. The increased applications for seats, from which the synagogue derives its only revenue, necessitated the change.

Atonement Day, the most solemn of the holy days of the Jews, began at sunset yesterday, when service was held in the Great Synagogue; there was a large congregation. Services will be held throughout to-day, and a close fast observed until sunset, when the shofar will be sounded, and the religious observances will terminate.

A meeting was held in the Pitt-street church school-hall on Tuesday evening last to inaugurate the formation of an association of Congregational churches for the metropolitan area of Sydney and near suburbs. The churches embraced in the district are Pitt-street, Bourke-street, Devonshire-street, Pyrmont, Redfern, Waterloo, and Balmain. The meeting, which was of a representative character, was presided over by the Rev. N. M. Hennessy, pastor of the Pitt-street church, and addresses were given on the aims of the association by the Rev. James Buchan, M.A., C. Whyte, B.A., F. Tucker, Beckenham; Messrs. Taylor, Abbott, and Byrnes.

The fifteenth annual Christian Endeavour Convention will begin to-day, and continue till October 6. The junior rally will be the opening meeting this year, and will be held in the Town Hall. A number of juniors will take part in the building of the "S.S. Endeavour" on the platform, and representatives of other societies will provide action songs. The convention will then adjourn till Tuesday next, when the annual council meeting will be held in the Bathurst-street Baptist Church, and the officers for the ensuing year will be elected. Conferences will be held during the following days, dealing with the work of the various departments of the movement, and in the evenings public meetings will be held. The consecration service will be held on Friday next in the Town Hall, and an excursion and missionary meeting on Saturday next to Cabarita will bring the proceedings to a close.

A largely-attended Christian Endeavour convention, embracing Waverley, Bondi, and Randwick churches met during the early part of the week at the Lugar Brae Methodist Church, under the presidency of the Rev. T. F. Potts. The Revs. J. S. Austin and T. Morgan also addressed the conference. After devotional exercises the subject of gambling was discussed, and the following resolution was unanimously carried:—"That this meeting of the Waverley-Randwick Union of Christian Endeavour appreciates the action of the Government in introducing the Lotteries Bill, and expresses the hope that it will become law without exempting churches or other institutions from its provisions."

The Archbishop of Montreal, who was born in 1815, and who has recently recovered from a slight illness, has what is probably the unique distinction of having held every ecclesiastical office of the Church of England—that of clergyman, rural dean, canon, archdeacon, dean, bishop, archbishop, metropolitan, and primate, and probably that of catechist and lay reader. Although now assisted by a coadjutor, he may still be said to be still in full active service, and regularly preaches and holds confirmations and ordinations.

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TRAMWAY GRIEVANCES.

CASE FOR THE DEPARTMENT.

MR. KNEESHAW'S EVIDENCE CONTINUED.

The Tramway Inquiry Board, consisting of Mr. Wilfrid Blacket, chairman, and Messrs. Jacob Garrard and James Curley, members, sat again at the boardroom, Vickery-chambers, Pitt-street, yesterday. Mr. J. S. Cargill, Solicitor for Railways, represented the department; Messrs. Brown and Beeby appeared for the Tramway Employees' Union. Mr. H. Lawton, president of the Tramway Employees' Union, Mr. A. C. Warton, the secretary, and Mr. D. C. Williamson, the secretary of the Inquiry Board, were present.

John Kneeshaw, Tramway Traffic Superintendent, was further examined by Mr. Cargill. He read a report of the proceedings before the Appeals Board with respect to Driver Manuel's statement that the board had declined to go into his appeal against a caution as being too trivial. The board had pointed out to the appellant that, though the incident was a trivial one, a car had been damaged to the extent of 12s 6d by a collision in the depot yard. Manuel had a good record, and he feared that this caution would stand as a record against him.

Mr. Cargill: Conductor Leo Flateau complained of vindictive persecution, and he mentioned the nail-biting incident, too.

Witness: Yes, Flateau was reported by a special officer for not calling out the names at stopping places. He was also reported because his fingers were very dirty. I sent for Flateau, and saw him on May 15, 1904. His hands presented a bad appearance, and I told him the nail-biting habit was a filthy one and should be stopped. I gave him some very friendly advice, but he told me he had been do

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BIRTHS.

ADNAM.—September 16, 1906, at Armley, Wudgong-street, Mosman, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Mountford F. Adnam—a son.

BENNETT.—September 22, 1906, at Gordon Lodge, Gordon-street, Burwood, to Hedley J. and Araminta R. Bennett—a daughter.

BENNETT.—September 4, 1906, at her residence, 8 Bartley-street, the wife of A. Bennett, of a son.

BROWN.—September 20, at her residence, 6 Hare-street, Lavington Heights, Kalgoorlie, the wife of D. J. Brown, of a daughter.

BURNS.—September 21, at her residence, Rago, Almastreet, Darlington, the wife of R. J. Burns, of a son. Both doing well.

CHAPMAN.—September 27, at Edgecli, Mosman, to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Chapman—a son.

EASTES.—September 27, 1906, at Melrose, Wright's-road, Drummoyne, the wife of George C. Eastes—a son.

FINCH.—September 15, 1906, at Mare, High-street, North Sydney, Mrs. C. A. Finch, of a daughter.

GARRETT.—September 26, at Arndidie, the wife of Camden Garrett, of a daughter.

HAPP.—September 7, 1906, at Lincoln House, 268 Liverpool-road, Summer Hill, the wife of G. A. Happ—a daughter.

HERATY.—September 23, at Lyle, Whistler-road, Manly, the wife of M. C. Heraty, builder, of a son. Home papers please copy.

KING.—September 7, 1906, at Charleaville, Alma-street, Ashfield, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Silver-king—a son.

LESLIE.—September 15, at Warntah, Flood-street, Bondi, the wife of Hugh Leslie, of a son.

LEVY.—September 16, at Gordon, Evans-street, Rozelle, the wife of Henry Levy—a son.

MACDONALD.—August 29, at Kwitbahl, Tintern-road, Ashfield, the wife of A. B. Macdonald—a daughter.

MACKELL.—September 21, at Woodville, at Ruthven-street, Waverley, the wife of Roger H. Mackell—a son.

MATHEWS.—September 23, at Nota, Margaret-street, Petersham, the wife of Percy E. Mathews, of a son.

MOXHAM.—September 23, 1906, at Lindale, Mosman, the wife of H. C. Moxham—a son (stillborn).

NIELD.—August 24, at the residence of Nurse Veecys, Lewisham, the wife of Roscoe B. Nield, of a son (John Roscoe James).

PAIN.—September 14, at Bromptonville, Milton-street, Ashfield, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Pain—a son (Stanley Westall).

PAINTER.—September 26, 1906, at Penhill-street, Bondi, the wife of Edward A. Painter—a son.

PUCKLE.—September 22, at Greenville, Edgecliff-road, Woollahra, to Mr. and Mrs. Leslie V. Puckle—a son.

QUINN.—September 26, at her residence, Inchguin, Mount-street, Coogee, the wife of Walter Maitland Quinn—a son.

ROWAN.—September 18, at her residence, Elizabank, Johnstone-street, Annandale, the wife of Joseph Rowan, of a son.

SHEATHER.—September 19, at the residence of Nurse Munro, Military-road, Mosman, to Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Sheather—a son.

SCOTT.—September 22, at Wandalong, Condobarry-street, Mosman, the wife of J. Langdon Scott—a son.

SHARP.—September 19, at Colesie, Forest-road, Arncliffe, to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Ramsay Sharp—a daughter.

VERNON.—August 14, at Wahroonga, the wife of Alan F. Vernon—a daughter.

WATSON.—September 26, at Cottesloe, Matilda-street, Bondi, the wife of R. O. Watson—a son.

WELSH.—September 25, 1904, at her residence, Glenalva, Ashton-street, Waverley, the wife of Hugh Welsh—a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

ALMOND—HAWKE.—August 29, at St. Paul's Church, Redfern, by Rev. Canon Boyce, Horace Clackson Almond, eldest son Mr. F. Almond, of Dickson-street, Newtown, to Mabel, second daughter of Mr. T. M. Hawke, of Evesleigh-street, Redfern.

ATTWATER—CRANE.—September 12, at St. Mark's, Darling Point, by Rev. Boyce Holcombe Hewett, E. Attwater, of Grafton, to Ivy, fourth daughter of the late Thomas Crane, of Sydney.

ROWLES—NICHOLS.—September 12, 1906, at Ashfield, by Rev. J. Marshall Brown, Percival George, eldest son of W. H. Rowles, Woollahra, to Eva May, sixth daughter of the late J. Lascome Nichols, Bondi.

BURTON GIBBS—SPEARS.—September 1, at the Congregational Church, Woollahra, by the Rev. Dr. Fordyce, Stanly, only son of Joseph Burton Gibbs, of Sydney, to Margaret Malcolm, sixth daughter of George Spears, of North Sydney.

CRAIG—LONERGAN.—July 30, at St. Francis' Church, Paddington, by the Rev. Father Joyce, O.F.M., Walter Douglas, son of William Craig, of Newtown, late of Quirindi, to Mary Columba, daughter of Mrs. T. Lonergan, of Paddington.

FITZGERALD—COOK.—September 8, at Peasharst, by Rev. D. H. Dilloo, George, youngest son of J. E. Fitzgerald, of Petersham, Perth, to Christina (Chee), eldest daughter of Hon. Cook, Marrickville.

LEE—NEWTON.—August 22, 1906, at St. Paul's Church, Wollongbar, Richmond River, by the Rev. F. R. Newton, uncle of the bride, assisted by the Rev. the Archdeacon of Lismore, Elizabeth Catherine, youngest daughter of W. S. Newton, Broadley, Wollongbar, to Francis Richard Lee, son of T. W. Lee, M.R.C.S., Wollongong.

MOXHAM—BELMER.—September 5, 1906, at Malnal, Holden-street, Ashfield, residence of bride's parents, by Rev. J. Beckenham, uncle of bride, Violet Stanley, eldest daughter of Rev. Dr. Belmer, Moss, to William James, second son of George H. Moxham, J.P., of Sydney. Present address, Rocky Point-road, Rockdale.

NORRIE—LAUDER.—September 19, at St. Mark's Church, West Maitland, by the Rev. Arthur Kilworth, B.A., LL.B., Dora eldest daughter of Charles Edwin Norrie, solicitor, West Maitland, to Alexander Grieg Lauder of Invergordon, Ail-Cromarty, Scotland.

WATTLE—MAHER.—September 22, at St. Patrick's Church, Sydney, by the Rev. Father J. P. Bignell, S.M., Paul, son of the late Pierre Wattel, of Zoorcoing, France, to Winifred Agnes, daughter of M. Maher, of Annandale.

GOLDEN WEDDINGS.

NEWMAN—GLENDINNING.—September 29, 1855, at St. George's Church, Everton, parish of Walton on the Hill, County Lancaster, by the Rev. Bunday, John Farish Newman, to Mary Glendinning. Present address, Eltham, 31 Arundel-street, Forest Lodge.

DEATHS.

ARTLETT.—September 26, at Parramatta, Caroline, wife of Francis A. Artlett, aged 68 years.

BOOKER.—September 24, 1906, at the residence of her nephew, Frank Nelson, Hindmarsh, High-street, Willoughby, Mary Booker, aged 72 years.

BUCKHALS.—September 28, at his residence, Cooper-street, Strathfield, John, beloved husband of Annie Buckhals, in his 74th year. R.I.P.

BROMLEY.—August 27, at Mount Victoria, Emily, relict of the late George Bromley, and fifth daughter of the late Stephen Charles Bormer, Sussex, England, and beloved sister of Mrs. Jones, T. Wilton, of Scarborough, and Mrs. Rowlands, Wellington, N.Z.

BURLING.—At his residence, Mittagong, John L. Burling, aged 78.

BURT.—September 26, at her residence, Shallum, Warren-road, Marrickville, Adelaide Prudence Letitia Burt (late), aged 64 years.

DOUGLAS.—Died at his sister's residence, Bowning, September 26, Thomas Douglas, aged 32, of heart failure. Inserted by his loving wife and mother and sisters (late of Lawson-street, Alexandria).

EASTES.—September 27, 1906, at Melrose, Wright's-road, Drummoyne, the much loved infant son of George and Annie Eastes.

HAMMOND.—September 24, at her late residence, 2 Hanover-street, Waterloo, Isabella, relict of the late John Blake Hammond, aged 74 years. At rest.

HOURIGE.—September 25, Anna, the beloved wife of Charles Hopkirk, and mother of Ettie Hopkirk, of Jack's Hotel, Balmain, in her 53rd year. Deeply regretted. The interment took place at Waverley Cemetery, 29th inst.

JOHANSEN.—September 14, at her residence, Fevig, Clarmont-street, Rozelle, Eleanor Ellen, dearly beloved wife of Johan Julius Johansen, aged 34 years and 5 months, and eldest (stillborn). At rest.

JOHANSEN.—September 14th, at her residence, Fevig, Clarmont-street, Rozelle, Eleanor Ellen, third dearly beloved daughter of William and Ellen Clare, of Davidson-street, Balmain, aged 34 years 9 months, and third (stillborn). At rest.

LEVY.—September 25, 1906, at his residence, 47 Carrington-street, Newtown, William Levy, aged 70 years. R.I.P.

MCGRATH.—September 20, at Rileen, Clarence Town, Hunter River, Daniel Muldoon, J.P., Belmont and Stockyard Creeks, of Queensland, aged 74, of heart failure. Queensland and New Zealand papers please copy.

O'CONNELL.—September 29, 1906, at his late residence, 31 Henry-street, Surry Hills, Morgan O'Connell, native of Cahirciveen, County Kerry, Ireland, aged 70 years. R.I.P. Home papers please copy.

O'CONNOR.—At his residence, 86 Ann-street, Surry Hills, George, beloved husband of Norah O'Connor.

OLIVER.—September 28, 1906, at Sydney Hospital, Susan Louise Oliver, widow of the late Captain Gilbert Oliver, aged 48 years.

ROGERS.—September 22, at his residence, 23 Moonbie-street, Summer Hill, William Rogers, Dentist, beloved husband of Elizabeth Rogers, aged 51.

STANFORD.—September 25, at his late residence, Bayswater Laundry, Victoria-street, Paddington, William Henry Stanford, aged 46. At rest.

WANGENHEIM.—September 24, 1906, at his mother's residence, 293 Victoria-street, Darlinghurst, Edward James Wangenheim, J.P., the beloved eldest son of Mrs. E. Wangenheim and the late Gustavus Wangenheim, aged 44.

WENTWORTH.—September 22, at Prince Alfred Hospital, Tom Covely, dearly loved youngest son of Fred and Florrie Wentworth, Marrickville, aged 16 years.

WILSHIRE.—September 19, 1906, Berremangra, Coppabella, result of an accident, Malcolm, only son of Malcolm Wilshire, and grandson of the late Austin T. Wilshire, aged 5 years.

WOLFE.—September 27, passed onward to a higher life, John Wolfe, the faithful husband of Charlotte Wolfe, loving father of Mrs. Smillon, Mrs. Lorena, Mrs. Coral, Mrs. Burgess, George, Lettie, Ivy, and William. "A lover of truth and foe to all shams. Victorian and South African papers please copy.

WOLLEDGE.—September 28, 1906, Alice Kinghorn Wolledge, at her residence, 25 Allan's-avenue, Petersham, in her 70th year.

IN MEMORIAM.

BOTHAM.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Robert Bridge, who died 30th September, 1905. At rest. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

BRUCE.—In commemoration of Richard Bruce, who departed this life September 29th, 1905. A tribute of loving affection to the memory of a devoted husband. "Until the day breaks and the shadows flee away." S. B.

CROTTY.—In loving memory of our dear brother, John Crotty, who departed this life while out swimming at Bondi, September 29.

In our home suddenly, brother dear—
Left us to weep and sigh;
And oh, it was so hard to think
You could not say good-bye.
You passed from sight, in memory ever
Inserted by his loving sister, brother, and father.

CROTTY.—In sad and loving memory of our dear and only brother, Jack Crotty, who was carried out to sea while bathing at Bondi on September 29, 1905, and never found. Sadly missed. Inserted by his brother and sister-in-law, Patrick and Amy Crotty.

IN MEMORIAM.

CAHILL.—In loving memory of my dear mother, Mrs. Ellen Cahill, who died on September 30th (Saturday), 1905, aged 78 years. May her soul rest in peace. Amen. Nearer my God to Thee. N. C.

COLEBROOK.—A tribute of love to the memory of my devoted dada, Edward A. Colebrook, whom Jesus called September 29, 1903, aged 50 years. Deeply regretted.

Across the Bar—at home, at rest,
Is he the one I loved the best,
The father who had always proved
So kind and worthy to be loved.
Yes, dada's gone, no more I hear
The accent of his voice so dear;
I share not now his fond embrace,
I see not now his dear, kind face.
Ah! how I miss him who has won
A home in heaven, God's will be done;
And so in faith and hope I pray
That when I pass from earth away,
I with my dada there may be,
Love-linked for all eternity.

Oh! my dear dada, sincerely mourned, and so sadly missed by his faithful and only daughter, Myra (Mrs. Ernest Fuller).

COLEBROOK.—In fond and loving memory of dear dada, Ned Colebrook (late cab proprietor), of 136 Moreton-street, Redfern, who passed away peacefully after a short illness (pneumonia), September 29, 1903, aged 50 years. For honesty, staunchness, and sterling worth, none could excel. Deeply mourned, and oh! how keenly missed by his affectionate foster-son, Bertie.

FITZGERALD.—In sad but loving memory of Anne Mary Fitzgerald, who departed this life October 1, 1904, at Napier, New Zealand. Sweet Jesus have mercy. Inserted by her loving sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Flood.

GOODIN.—In loving memory of my dear mother and our grandmother, Frances Goodin, who departed this life 28th September, 1905. Inserted by her loving son and grandchildren.

GUTHRIE.—In loving memory of our dear father, John Morton Guthrie, who died September 29, 1905. Inserted by his loving daughters, Jane, Ellen, Agnes.

HEATON.—In loving memory of my dear daughter and sister, Clara Heaton, who passed away September 30, 1895. Not gone from memory, nor from love, but to a better home above. Inserted by her loving mother and brothers, Alfred and Paul, and Fanny Jones.

IRWIN.—In loving memory of Alfred Lyndon, died suddenly September 30, 1904. Inserted by his loving wife, Mabel Irwin. Good night, beloved, not farewell.

JOHNSON.—In loving memory of my dear wife, Maria Jane Johnson, who departed this life September 30, 1905, aged 37. Inserted by her loving husband, Theodor Johnson.

KEVIN.—To the memory of John W. Kevin, sometime Inspector of Schools, who died September 28, 1903, at Allynbrook, E.K.

KING.—In loving memory of my dear husband, William, and our dear father, died September 27, 1905; also our dear daughter and sister, Selina, died September 9, 1904. Inserted by their loving wife and mother and family. Fondly loved; deeply regretted.

MCEWAN.—In sad but loving memory of our dear son and brother (Jim), who met his death at Wellington, New Zealand, September 30th, 1905, aged 22. He died far from all who loved him best. Inserted by his loving mother, brothers, and sisters.

MCLEOD.—In loving remembrance of our dear son and brother, Robert (Bob), who departed this life 28th September, 1905. Dead but not forgotten. Inserted by his loving mother, stepfather, sister, and brother Mervyn.

MURPHY.—In mournful memory of my dear brother, Joseph Murphy, who died in the May Hospital on August 30, 1906. Inserted by his loving sister, Mrs. B. Cook, Oona Vale, Goondiwindi, Queensland. R.I.P.

Rest, dear brother, rest:
They miss you most who loved you best.

MUSGRAVE.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, Philip Musgrave, who passed away, at his late residence, Long Bay-road, Coogee, September 29th, 1904.

We miss you, and mourn you in silence unseen,
And dwell with sweet memory on days that have been.

Inserted by his loving wife and family.

RUNNINGTON.—In loving memory of my dear wife and our dear mother, who departed this life September 30, 1905, aged 61 years. Inserted by her loving husband and children, Walter Bennington. Died from heart failure the same day while on a visit at Coogee. Home papers please copy.

No more upon this earth we'll see
Her dear and loving face.
There is no one in this wide world
Can fill our dear mother's place.

PHILLIPS.—In sad and loving memory of our dear father, Morris Phillips, who departed this life 11th day of Tishri, 5666, corresponding with 9th day of October, 1905. Inserted by his young-at son and daughter-in-law, Isaac and Julia Phillips.

PROCTOR.—In loving memory of our dear father (Thos. Proctor), who died September 29, 1900; also our dear mother (Mary Proctor), who died September 29, 1875. Never forgotten. Inserted by their loving children, Alice, Mary, and Lillie.

RYAN.—A tribute of everlasting love to the memory of our dear brother, Patrick Ryan, who left us for Heaven to gain, on September 30, 1905. Inserted by his loving sister and brother, George and Mary Chapman (Hunter's Hill).

SANNEMEHLIK.—In memory of Clesie, died September 29, 1905. At rest, and not forgotten by Alice Ready.

VIAL.—In loving memory of my dear husband and our father, William Vial, who died suddenly, in his 56th year, at Redfern, September 27, 1904. Inserted by his loving wife, Emily, and family, Syd., Gert, May, Nell, Pearl, Jack. Though lost to sight, to memory dear.

WEBBER.—In loving remembrance of John Charles Webber, who departed this life October 1, 1905, aged 87 years; also of Sarah Ann Webber, who departed this life December 10th, 1901, aged 73 years. Inserted by their loving daughter and son-in-law, Jessie and Henry Blair, and grandchildren.

In loving remembrance of Malvina (Cissie Sanne), who departed this life September 29, 1905. Inserted by her loving father and mother, sisters and brothers, her three sons (Sid., George, and Willie), and her fond friend, Vina Watts.

RETURN THANKS.

THE PARENTS of the deceased ALICK WILLIAM RANDALL desire to return their sincere THANKS to friends for flowers, cards, and all kindness shown in their sad bereavement through the loss sustained of their darling son. Also to the Nurses (R.H.S.C., Glebe) who attended him through his late illness, particularly to Nurse Gorman, who was ever so considerate in her kind attention towards him.

MR. and MRS. CLARE, of Davidson-street, Balmain, desire to return their sincere THANKS to the many friends for their kind sympathy, letters, floral tributes, especially to Drs. Brettner, Kelly, Hardy, also Mrs. Hagon and Mrs. Martin for their kind attention to their late dearly beloved daughter, Eleanor Ellen Johansen.

MR. W. SMITH and FAMILY wish to return their sincere THANKS to Doctors Kerr and Wade, for their attention; also to the numerous kind friends for telegrams, letters, and floral tributes in their sad bereavement.

MRS. MARSHALL and FAMILY, of West and Rosalind streets, North Sydney, desire to return sincere THANKS to their many kind friends for the sympathy expressed by visits, letters, telegrams, cards, and floral tributes received by them in their recent sad bereavement.

MRS. M. HOWES and FAMILY, of 70 Australia-street, Newtown, desire to return their sincere THANKS to the many friends for kind sympathy and floral tributes during their late sad bereavement.

MESSRS. CLEMENT and JAMES GOLD desire to return sincere THANKS to the members of the A.H.C. Guild, to the employees of Peapes and Co., and to their many friends, for their kind sympathy in their recent sad bereavement. They also desire to tender their deepest thanks to Nurse Enwright, for her skilful and untiring devotedness to their dear mother.

MRS. CHARLES M'LEAN and FAMILY, of 208 Barcom-avenue, Darlinghurst, wish to return their sincere THANKS to all kind friends for cards, letters, telegrams, floral tributes, and messages of sympathy in their recent sad bereavement.

MRS. GEORGE BATTERSON WILKIE wishes to return heartfelt THANKS for letters, cards, telegrams, and messages of sympathy in her late sad bereavement. Also to nurses of K ward, Sydney Hospital.

MR. and MRS. G. HILL, jun., desire to tender their sincerest THANKS to all those who forwarded wreaths, telegrams, and letters of condolence in their recent sad bereavement, particularly to Dr. Fred. W. Marshall for his kindness and assiduous attention.

MAUND.—Mr. and Mrs. H. J. MAUND and RELATIVES, of Hampstead-road, Flemington, desire to return their heartfelt THANKS to all kind friends for all letters, wreaths, telegrams, and cards in their recent sad bereavement.

MR. and MRS. W. SCOTTS and FAMILY, of Burwood, and Mr. and Mrs. C. FURZER and FAMILY, of Parramatta, desire to return their very sincere THANKS to the numerous kind friends for letters, telegrams, cards, and floral tributes during their recent sad bereavement in the death of their dearly beloved father, J. Scotts.

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As Mr. Deakin explained, we have had three several schemes to choose from, involving widely differing scales of expenditure; and it will be something achieved if we have really arrived at a stage even approaching finality.

The decision will be received with feelings of disappointment in some quarters. The ideal of an imperial navy subject, as the "Times" expressed it, to undivided strategic control, and to so much of centralised administration as is necessary to the integrity and efficient working of that control, is one with an irresistible fascination for the expert mind and the naval authorities. But even the "Times" admits that the question in its larger aspects is not one to be decided on grounds of pure reason or of abstract strategic principle. It acknowledges the existence of an Australian sentiment on the subject which should not be overlooked; and it may be said here in passing that the admission is more likely to clear the atmosphere and advance the true end of the whole controversy than the contemptuous references and ascription of mercenary motives to which some of those who have given us the benefit of their advice are unpleasantly addicted. Let it be candidly admitted at once that there is an Australian and local side to the question, as well as an Imperial one, and we shall advance an appreciable stage towards a better understanding. This applies to other parts of the Empire as well as to us, and the claims of local feeling were pointedly illustrated by Earl Grey in Canada last month on the occasion of some festivities in connection with the public presentation to the battleship Dominion. Earl Grey accepted the favourable opening thus offered to dwell on the duty of every citizen to support the navy, but he coupled this with a sensible protest against being misunderstood. "He meant no reflection on those who were impatient because Canada did not do more towards the support of the navy," he said, "but he would point out that many public works of importance had been postponed for lack of means." It is easy to argue, no doubt, that if Canada or Australia contributed to meet the claims of naval expenditure in the same proportion as taxpayers of Great Britain do, our subsidies and contributions would be much greater than they are. But each self-governing dependency is and must remain the best judge of its own financial obligations, local and Imperial; and it may be noted here that though the Prime Minister unfolds a policy of Australian naval defence he does not say that the existing subsidy of £200,000 is to be withdrawn. On the contrary, it is expressly included in the total proposed naval outlay of £550,000 under the new scheme. Adding to this the sum of £835,000 for the military side of the defence proposals, we arrive at a very respectable total representing what Australia is prepared to pay as her share in the defence of this portion of the Empire.

The argument of the "Times" in reply to Australian criticism of the Imperial Defence Committee's report is not based on the meagreness of present colonial contributions, but on reasons of strategy and naval administration. Its contention is that the Imperial Fleets ensure immunity to every part of the Empire, not merely by their squadrons on local stations but by their command of the sea and their readiness to seek out the enemy anywhere and everywhere and *destroy* him. The argument rests on the assumption that the balance of sea-power will be preserved as it now is, and the opinion of experts is to the effect that naval supremacy will continue to rest with Great Britain in the future as in the past. If other nations are building greater navies there is no reason why the British naval authorities should show themselves less enterprising, and whatever may happen to the German navy by 1908 will not check the advancement of our own. Yet it has to be admitted that the conditions of the whole problem are changing for Australia with this multiplication of fleets, these new aspirants to sea-power, and the establishment of foreign naval bases in the Pacific. Australian sentiment has a not unworthy ambition to strike a blow in its own defence when the time comes, and in defence of the Empire as it has done before. More particularly it aspires to the effective guardianship of its own coasts. It is not disputed that this would be hopeless without the protection of the King's ships, but our destroyers and torpedoers will be as much the King's ships as the proudest leviathan in the Royal navy. It is not inconceivable that the local squadron might be withdrawn in war time, as part of some strategic movement ordered by the central administration, at the precise moment when any of our ports might be menaced by a marauding cruiser or two. In that event, without our own coastal safeguards, we should be completely defenceless. The Admiralty argument is that the navy is strong enough to deal with hostile cruisers wherever they may be. But there is always the chance of evasion, and Australia has a sea trade, Mr. Deakin reminds us, worth 95 millions a year, and private wealth approaching a value of a thousand millions. These figures represent a big stake, and as the "Times" judicially states the case, the real problem of Australian defence is to reconcile Australian sentiment and interests with the naval ideal of undivided control and centralised administration. As it says, the two things are more or less divergent. This supplies the more reason why its counsel should be accepted, to approach the subject in a broad and sympathetic spirit, to eschew bickerings and misunderstandings, and to yield everything to Australian sentiment and aspirations which can be conceded without weakening the essential panoply of Imperial defence.

A FURTHER REFERENCE.

"Milroy" has an article of great interest and value on the opening racing carnival at Randwick, with especial reference to the two-year-olds. In striking contrast comes "Darien's" article on "The Interior of a Great Organ," which we anticipated last week under the title "The Heart of the Town Hall Organ." It is a bright and instructive contribution, largely descriptive and in part an interview with Mr. Edwin Lemare and the Town Hall officials in charge of the famous instrument. On the opposite page is a large picture of the Handel Festival and a portrait of Cyril Monk, the talented Sydney violinist. Y.M.C.A. members and sympathisers will be greatly interested in the page devoted to the great "Gilt-edged Investment." The three pages of pictures taken at the schools' sports are exceptionally bright. The illustrations include: "A N.S.W. Schoolgirl," Two Views of a Royal Pageant, Cricket Drill (two views), the wonderful animated legend "Advance Australia Fair," a Glimpse of the Maypole Dance, the Winning Parramatta Drill Squad, tableau "Australia," and "A Study in Expressions." Among small pictures in the issue we have: Laying the Foundation-stone of Singleton Hospital, the Great Cobar Mine, recently sold for £300,000, the officers of the Raymond Terrace Masonic Lodge, and portraits of Mr. Chas. H. Hayes, Secretary of the Sydney Royal Exchange; the Rev. H. Walker Taylor, who has received an appointment to Ballarat; Mr. Wilfrid Backet, chairman of the Tramway Inquiry Board; the Rev. A. J. Waldock, President of the Baptist Union of New South Wales; J. M. Dodds, Mayor of Gundagai; J. G. Derwin, Mayor of Carcoar; the late D. E. Vasey (Manilla); and the late Inspector Fenton (Goulburn).

A PATRIOTIC SONG FOR THE CHILDREN.

THE WORDS AND MUSIC.

At the Public School Sports the most impressive incident of the day was the singing of "Advance Australia Fair" by thousands of children. By permission of Mr. P. D. M'Cormick ("Amicus"), the composer, we publish the words and music. The song enjoys a wide popularity, but may by this means reach many children who have not had the opportunity to learn it.

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The issue contains the usual budget of Stories, Special Articles, and expert discussions on Agricultural and Pastoral problems. "Milroy's" Sporting Notes are particularly interesting in view of the Spring Carnival.

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THE FEDERAL DEFENCE POLICY.

The statement of the Government's defence policy, made by the Prime Minister in the House of Representatives on Thursday, answers the question raised by the Imperial Defence Committee as definitely as the position of the Ministry will allow. Roughly speaking, the issue implied by the Committee's report was one as to whether Australia should take a hand in her own naval defence or continue to regard this as a matter of purely Imperial concern. Captain Creswell's report stated an alternative proposal, and it is that which the Government now favours. The Prime Minister takes the stand that the Imperial Navy by no means satisfies Australian aspirations, and announces that in the immediate future the Government will recommend to Parliament the establishment of harbour and coast defences on lines which appear to follow those of the Creswell scheme, and providing mainly for torpedo-boats and coastal destroyers of ocean-going capacity which will link together the whole of the ports of the Commonwealth. A great deal has been said both locally and at the other side of the world about the duty of Australia in regard to this national claim of naval defence. The Imperial Defence Committee, backed by the "Times," put the case from that point of view as ably and fairly as it was possible to express it. Australian sentiment demands something more, and Mr. Deakin sums up what may be called the Commonwealth side of the discussion in a sentence when he declared in his speech that "the Government is of opinion that the provision of harbour and coastal defence is necessary in the interests of Austral

PERSONAL.

VICE-REGAL.

His Excellency the Governor and Miss Rawson will be present at the spring meeting of the Australian Jockey Club to-day, on Monday, and also on Saturday next. His Excellency will attend on Wednesday, and on Monday will lunch with the president and members of the Australian Jockey Club.

On Wednesday his Excellency will be present at the St. Vincent's Hospital Ball, and on the afternoon of Thursday his Excellency and Miss Rawson will give a garden party at State Government House, Rose Bay.

The Archbishop of Sydney, Dr. Saumares Smith, has received distressing news from England concerning the condition of his son—Rev. H. Saumares Smith, M.A.—who recently met with a severe accident. At yesterday's sitting of the Anglican Diocesan Synod sympathy was expressed with the Archbishop by Archdeacon Gunther, on behalf of the clergy, and by Mr. E. H. Dean-Thomson on behalf of the laity.

Members of the City Council's sanitary and health department met on Thursday at the Town Hall, when Dr. W. G. Armstrong, city health officer, presented Mr. John Joseph Wright with a silver-mounted leather travelling bag as an expression of the occasion of his departure to take up his new duties as inspector of nuisances at Tamworth. Several toasts were honoured.

The members of the honorary medical staff of the Sydney Hospital entertained on Wednesday last, at the Wentworth Hotel, Dr. Sydney Jamieson, who returned from a trip to Europe a short time ago. Among those present were:—Drs. Thomas Evans, W. Chisholm, Fiaschi, Storie Dixson, Jarvie Hood, Murray Will, Brady, Pope, Steer Bowker, Cedric Bowker, Maitland. The dinner, which was held in the new rooms of the Wentworth Hotel, was admirably served.

The alumni of Aberdeen University in New South Wales celebrated the four-hundredth anniversary of the foundation of their Alma Mater by a dinner, held at the Hotel Metropole, on Thursday evening, the time synchronising with the great function in the granite city, over which his Majesty the King presided. The Rev. Dr. Martines acted as chairman, and Mr. G. A. Wilson, of the Public Service Board, as vice-chairman. The reunion proved most enjoyable. The chief toast was proposed by Mr. John Garland, LL.B., and responded to by the Right Rev. Dr. P. J. Murdoch. The Rev. A. Yule, M.A., of College Church, Melbourne, senior Aberdeen student in Australia, who was unable to attend, sent his congratulations, in the form of a Latin ode. A cablegram of congratulation, in Latin, was despatched to Aberdeen. The proceedings at the reunion included the formation of an association of Aberdeen University students, with the Rev. Dr. MacInnes as president, the Rev. James Kinghorn as hon. secretary, and Dr. George Allan as hon. treasurer.

Alderman A. S. Lang, of Brisbane, and Mrs. Lang, are in Sydney attending the sittings of the Presbyterian General Assembly of Australia.

At the Ashfield Hall on Friday the pupils of Eltham College presented a set of gold sleevelinks to the principal, Mr. J. T. Fitzgerald, on his removal to Wahroonga.

At a social meeting of the Burns anniversary choir on Thursday evening Miss Annie Higgie, who is leaving for Canada, was presented with a gold necklet and pendant set with pearls. The presentation was made by Mr. John Campbell (president) on behalf of the choir.

The steamer Wakool, from London to Port Adelaide, put into Albany unexpectedly on Thursday morning, having run short of coal. Among her passengers is the Rev. Edward Matthews, secretary of the British and Foreign Sailors' Society, who is on a tour around the world in the interests of his society. His main object at present is to represent the society at the New Zealand Exhibition, where a facsimile of the stem of Nelson's flagship Victory is to be erected. On his way to New Zealand Mr. Matthews has to call at Adelaide and Melbourne to deliver to the Parliaments busts of Nelson mounted on pieces of polished oak taken from the Victory.

Among the passengers on the R.M.S. Orient, which arrived at Fremantle on Thursday, is Herr Hugo Gorlitz, who is proceeding to the eastern States to arrange concerts for Miss Amy Sherwin, who will follow in the R.M.S. Orontes. The following members of the theatrical profession are on board the Orient:—Mr. Harry Halley and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsay, Miss Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. Alaska, and Miss Russell.

Mr. Archibald Mackellar, of the firm of Mackellar and Wilson, who was killed through a street accident on Tuesday last, was for over 40 years a well-known figure in the building trade of this State. He took an active interest in the affairs of the Master Builders' Association, and was a prominent member of its committee. The funeral, which took place on Tuesday at the Waverley Cemetery, was largely attended. The Master Builders' Association was represented by the president (Mr. E. H. Buchanan), the vice-president (Mr. James Wall), the treasurer (Mr. G. P. Jones), the secretary (Mr. N. Richards), and Messrs. R. D. Sime, D. Stewart, J. M. Pringle, H. J. Thompson, A. Loveridge, H. Hudson, and other prominent members of the committee. The Masonic craft was represented, and a Masonic service was conducted by Wor. Bro. A. E. Boroughs. The Rev. J. A. Macaulay officiated at the grave.

The funeral took place yesterday of the late Colonel W. T. Farrell, who had long been associated with the military forces of this State. He was gazetted to a lieutenancy in 1861, and had, up till his retirement in 1888, acted as a commissioned officer in the citizen soldiery. He was also well known as a keen rifle shot, and had for a considerable period occupied a position in the council of the New South Wales Rifle Association. Included among the large attendance at the funeral yesterday were many representatives of the various regiments and arms of the military service. A short service was held at the deceased's late residence, Swan Isle, Darley-road, Randwick, prior to departure for the Long Bay Cemetery, where the interment took place.

MR. BENT'S GAMBLING BILL.

THE VITAL CLAUSES.

QUARANTINING OF PREMISES.

MELBOURNE, Thursday.

In the Legislative Assembly to-night the second reading of the Gambling Bill was carried on the voices. During the debate Labour members strongly defended Mr. Wren. Mr. Bent announced his intention of making several most important clauses of the bill vital.

The clauses of the Gambling Bill which the Government will make vital are the quarantine clauses—those which provide that in connection with premises suspected of being used for gaming purposes application may be made to a court, and that upon an order being granted declaring they are so used, any person seen entering or leaving them may be prosecuted. The order can only be quashed on the occupier proving that the premises are not used for gambling purposes. Other clauses made vital are those which give the police the right of entry to suspected premises, and over any other premises affording means of communication with them; Tattersall's clauses, which prevent traffic or holding tickets in sweeps on racing days; limitation clauses restricting the number of days upon which races may be held; infants betting clauses, which prohibit betting with persons less than 21 years of age; Chinese lotteries clauses, pakapf and fan-tan shop games.

[The above appeared in a portion of yesterday's issue.]

AN OCTOGENARIAN'S SUICIDE.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Charles Dickson, aged 80, an old resident of Italian Gully, committed suicide on Thursday evening. He procured a ladder, and divested himself of all his clothing except his shirt, and then entered the water in a tank attached to his house.

THE COMMONWEALTH.

IN FEDERAL SESSION.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTER.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The House of Representatives concluded the Estimates shortly before 6 o'clock this evening. Towards the close whole divisions were passed successively by virtue of some private arrangement between different sections of the House. A pretence of examining them was made, but it was nothing more than a pretence. Mr. Watson went so far as to move a reduction of £1 in the total defence vote, and apologetically explained that if the £1 was agreed to it would be regarded as a mild indication by the House that it wanted the expenditure reduced by £150,000, so that the Government's dignity would be saved. Of course the £1 proposition was defeated, as everyone well understood it would be. Even Labour members did not seriously attempt to defend it, but it enabled them to inscribe upon their banner another valiant protest against militarism. Lieutenant-Colonel M'Cay described this protest as sheer madness.

The handling of the Estimates was either one of the most extraordinary pieces of Parliamentary bungling that has ever been committed, or else a Ministerial design to bring opprobrium upon the Opposition. On Wednesday Ministerialists made overtures to the Opposition with a view of curtailing the sittings. All parties, it was stipulated, should agree to compress their speeches so that the Estimates for three departments could be passed by Wednesday night. Oppositionists were reluctant to make any such arrangement. There were so many matters upon which Ministerial explanations were imperative that it was considered unsafe to guarantee that millions of money would be voted at one short sitting. Eventually the arrangement was made between a Minister, on behalf of the Ministry, and a representative of the Opposition. Then Mr. Deakin insisted upon a further condition. He wanted the House to pass the Estimates for another department straight away. He must have known that such a proposal was little less than farcical, and that Oppositionists who had the faintest conception of the responsibility of their position could not accept it. The attempt may only have been affected, but it brought about the all-night sitting. The manner in which the Opposition had assisted this Government to bring the business of the session to a close is most remarkable. Government proposals were disposed of with automatic celerity. The idea was to hasten the appeal to the country, but Ministers, to defeat that object, piled up additional and unexpected work, and deferred essential business to the last. An isolated protest against these tactics was described as obstruction, and judging by some Ministerial speeches that have already been delivered, it is practically certain that Ministers will go to the country declaring that they would have accomplished political wonders if it had not been for wilful obstruction.

The Minister of Home Affairs made a statement regarding the Federal Capital question. He said the delay was due to the fact that the New South Wales Premier had invited members to view three or four new sites, but he did not say that the invitation arose from a suggestion in the House of Representatives. He said that since then hon. members had made requests to visit other sites. No private members of the House of Representatives have expressed a desire to inspect other sites; the Minister is not able to name them. The Ministerial statement was merely a contribution to the dust that is being thrown in the eyes of the people of New South Wales, so that they will not perceive the underhand means that are being resorted to by the dominant Victorian section in the House of Representatives to keep the seat of Government in Melbourne.

The generally dull Senate was enlivened to-day by a scene, in which the President took a prominent part. Then the Senate advanced several measures in preparation for a clearing-up next week.

RECIPROCITY WITH SOUTH AFRICA.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The Prime Minister, in the House of Representatives to-day, announced that he had concluded a treaty for reciprocity with South Africa. The difficulty in regard to the prolonged negotiation, he said, had mainly been on account of the return trade from South Africa being very small. The treaty would be made public when the proposals were submitted to the House. Concessions were to be made by way of reduction of duties. He trusted that he would have the help of the House in bringing the matter to a successful conclusion.

TASMANIAN CONSTITUTION.

PROPOSED LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL REFORM.

HOBART, Friday.

In the House of Assembly yesterday consideration in Committee of the Constitution Amendment Bill was resumed, and on the motion of the Premier the clause providing that the State be divided into five new electorate districts was passed as printed on the voices.

A proposal for a new clause to the bill is under consideration, and it provides that if the Assembly passes any bill by an absolute majority of its members, and the Council reject or fail to pass it, or pass it with amendments, to which the Assembly will not agree, or if during the next ensuing session of Parliament the Assembly pass the same bill, or a bill with substantially the same objects, and having the same title, and with or without any amendments which have been made, suggested, or agreed to by the Council, a general election of the Assembly having taken place between such two sessions of Parliament, and the second and third readings of any such bill having been passed in the second instance by an absolute majority of the whole number of members of the said Assembly, and the Council rejects or fails to pass any such bill, or pass it with amendments to which the Assembly will not agree, the Governor may, if he think fit, dissolve the two Houses simultaneously. For the purposes of this section the Council shall be deemed to have failed to pass a bill if the bill be not returned to the Assembly within three months after its transmission to the Council, and the session continued during that period.

The Premier, while not objecting to the principle of the proposal, thought its introduction would jeopardise the passing of the Constitution Amendment Bill in the Council, and would prefer seeing it dealt with separately.

A JUDGE'S QUALIFICATIONS.

COMMENTS ON A BANK.

THE DIVIDING WALL CASE.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The Chief Justice, in the course of the hearing of the Coffee Palace case yesterday, referred incidentally to the remarks he had made on Tuesday in connection with the attitude of the Commercial Bank of Australia in relation to the dispute between the proprietors of the Coffee Palace and the bank. He said that his remark "that if he had done what the bank did he would be ashamed to walk down the street" had been based on a misunderstanding of the facts. He now said it was quite possible for a fair-minded man to take a different view of the position than that which he had expressed.

Later in the day his Honor again referred to his strictures. He remarked: "I should have qualified what I said the other day. I wished to put as strongly as I could my own feeling—that if I were in the place of the bank I should feel it my duty to acquire that land, and that a fair offer was made. I wish to say that I did not impute misconduct to the bank authorities because they did not take the same view as I do. They have a perfect right on a question of ethics to take their own view, and I have no doubt that they are honourable gentlemen, whose feelings I did not desire to wound. I now disclaim any intention of imputing misconduct. The impression I formed has not at present been removed—that it would have been a fair thing if between two proprietors—as the bank was having the use of property which did not belong to them—that they would pay for the use of the land, and that terms should be referred to some disinterested party. I think the plaintiffs have shown a very laudable spirit in desiring to make a legal adjustment, and I did not mean to imply any conduct on the part of the bank that was consciously unfair dealing."

Judgment was reserved in the case.

STOLYPIN'S LAND SCHEME

PEASANTS' WANTS FULFILLED.

GOVERNMENT MUCH STRENGTHENED.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

M. Stolypin, the Premier of Russia, has announced his agrarian programme, which is of so favourable a character that it has strengthened the Government.

The programme arrests general attention by its magnitude, and by the chance it offers for conciliating the peasants.

M. Stolypin proposes to remove the disabilities of the peasants, gives the communes power to buy out any member wishing to start individual farming, and proposes to sell to peasants through the Land Bank 15,000,000 acres of State lands, 8,000,000 acres of private lands which are offered to the peasants' banks, and suggests the sale of 55,000,000 acres in the Altai region to Siberian emigrants at nominal prices.

The Altai territory of Siberia is situated to the south-east of Tomsk, and on the Chinese border. A great part of the territory consists of rich valleys interspersed with high mountain ranges. Extremes of heat and cold are suffered. At present there are 6,000,000 acres under cultivation. Writing on the Russian problem in its agrarian aspects, a contributor of the "Saturday Review," after pointing out that sufficient suitable land in European Russia for division among the peasants does not exist, says: "As for the merits of any moderate measure of land redistribution, it must be recognised that this alone would prove no final and satisfactory solution of the Russian agrarian problem. Whatever is done in this way must be accompanied by measures for raising to a higher level the educational, domestic, and economic status of the peasant. The communal ownership of land is apparently out of date under present political developments. The widely scattered plots of the holdings—in some cases miles apart, instead of being in a ring fence—are seriously detrimental to the growth of individual ambition for improved cultivation. Next to this disadvantage is the lack of any general system of cultivation—a badly needed desideratum. Then, according to unwritten law, the land is distributed per family instead of per adult male—an arrangement which involves a tribal system of family government. Such conditions of subjection tend to undermine individual energy, and surround both male and female members of the family with a stifling atmosphere of slavery, destroying any spirit of independence or enterprise."

TERRORIST INTENTIONS.

LIBERATION OF POLITICALS.

M. Stolypin has warned the Governors and prefects of provinces that a very strong Terrorist organisation has been formed to liberate political prisoners. He admits that prisons are likely to be besieged.

A GENERAL MURDERED.

General Apreleyeff was shot dead at his residence at Sochee, on the Black Sea. The murderers escaped.

INCITING TO MURDER.

Revolutionists at Warsaw are offering unemployed country lads, 7½d for every policeman the lads assassinate.

GOVERNORSHIP OF NEW YORK.

DEMOCRATIC LEADER SUPPORTS REPUBLICAN.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Mr. Charles Hughes, a lawyer, has been nominated as the Republican candidate for the Governorship of New York State.

The Democratic party nominated Mr. W. R. Hearst, who is the champion of municipal ownership.

Newspapers report extraordinary scenes which have arisen, owing to Mr. Hearst's alliance with Mr. Murphy, the Tammany leader. A serious split in the Democratic party is expected.

Mr. W. T. Jerome, a Democrat, District Attorney of New York City, supports the candidature of Mr. Hughes.

A correspondent writing in the "Times," discussing Mr. Hearst's force in the Democratic party in New York, says that Mr. Hearst, through his newspapers, his shrewd organisation, and lavish use of money, controls probably as many as 100,000 Democratic votes, and without them no Democrat could possibly hope to win the State. It may be, indeed, that Mr. Hearst will be a candidate for the Vice-Presidency on the same ticket as Mr. Bryan for the Presidency.

NEW TRANSVAAL ASSOCIATION.

PROGRAMME OF CONCILIATION.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

The constitution of the new National Association of the Transvaal advocates federation of South Africa, abolition of racialism, co-operation with the Boers, fair treatment of natives, complete self-government, no further importation of Chinese, and repatriation of Chinese on expiry of their contracts.

The association urges South Africans to unite and create a white nation, fit to rank with Canada and Australia.

ABERDEEN UNIVERSITY CELEBRATIONS.

THE KING PRESENT.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

In connection with the quater-centenary celebrations of Aberdeen University the King opened new buildings of Marischal College yesterday. Queen Alexandra was present. Lord Strathcona, High Commissioner for Canada, entertained 2000 guests at a banquet.

BLACK TROOPS' BRAVERY.

FIGHTING THE TUAREGS.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

Six native mounted infantry of the West Africa frontier force, under a black corporal, armed with carbines, defended for two hours a British post outside Yo, a town on Lake Tchad, on the Nigeria border, against the attack of 500 Tuaregs. Finally the black infantry repulsed the Tuaregs and then pursued them, inflicting heavy losses.

THE WOOL SALES.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

At the wool sales to-day prices were exceedingly firm. There was keen American competition for best merinos and fine crossbreds.

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At the wool sales the following prices were realised for the clips mentioned:—Mount Schinck, 13½d; Carandetta, 18½d; Milo, 9d; Green Hills, 21d; Waipaoa, 11½d; Peninsula, 12½d.

MASQUERADING IN MALE ATTIRE.

MARION EDWARDS IN COURT.

BRISBANE, Friday.

The City Summons Court was crowded this morning, when "William Edwards," alias Marion Edwards, was brought up on a charge of burglariously breaking into the dwelling-house of one Nellis Hornley at Collingwood, Victoria, on April 30, 1905, with intent to commit a felony therein. Defendant appeared in court dressed neatly in a blue tailormade suit of clothes. After evidence of the arrest had been given defendant was remanded for a week.

THE CUBAN REVOLT.

MODERATES AND REBELS CONFER.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Mr. W. H. Taft, the United States Commissioner, sent an ultimatum to the Moderate party in Cuba, asking it to listen to reason. Otherwise, he said, a provisional military government would be established.

Thereupon the Moderate party agreed to negotiate with the rebels without requiring them previously to surrender their arms.

The points in dispute between the two parties have been referred to Messrs. Taft and Bacon (the Assistant Secretary of State of the United States for arbitration.

The American forces at Cuba or sailing thither are 12,000 men, and it has been arranged that they shall be landed at Cuba within a week if necessary.

GRUMBLING AT FEDERATION.

THE WESTERN AUSTRALIAN RESOLUTION.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

The "Morning Post" states that the resolution passed by the Legislative Assembly of Western Australia recommending a referendum of the people regarding a withdrawal from the Commonwealth is more of the nature of a grumble than a serious expression of intention.

Mr. W. H. James, the Agent-General, in the course of an interview on the matter, said that he attached little importance to the resolution, and he was sure that it did not represent the views of the majority of the electors.

SECESSION NOT FEASIBLE.

PERTH, Friday.

While there is a general feeling of resentment in Western Australia with regard to the treatment meted out to this State by the Federal Parliament, particularly in connection with the Railway Survey Bill, and apprehension for the future regarding new legislation, the idea prevails that federation should be given time to justify itself. In serious circles the proposal to secede from the union is not regarded as feasible at the present moment, and it receives no support from the morning press.

THE GERMAN NAVY.

PRINCE HENRY IN COMMAND.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

Grand-Admiral von Koester, in handing over the command of the German Navy to Admiral Prince Henry of Prussia, expressed his conviction that the fleet would hereafter become a sharper and a stronger weapon than ever in the hands of the German Emperor.

MONETARY SITUATION IN AMERICA.

GOVERNMENT AID.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

Mr. L. M. Shaw, Secretary to the Treasury of the United States, announces that 20,000,000dol. (£5,200,000) of Treasury funds will be deposited in American banks, and will be returnable to the Treasury when the pressure on the money market is removed.

H.M.S. FANTOME FOR AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

H.M. sloop Fantome, 1070 tons, now at Sheerness, has been converted into a surveying ship, and will sail for Australia in January.

JOCKEY CLUB STAKES.

WON BY BEPPO.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

At the Newmarket First October Meeting to-day the contest for the principal event resulted as under:—

JOCKEY CLUB STAKES of 10,000 sovs.; if not sufficient surplus be obtained from subscriptions to give the second at least 1500 sovs., and the third at least 750 sovs., those amounts to be made up out of the stakes, the nominator of the winner to receive 400 and the nominator of the second 200 sovs. out of the stakes; for three-year-olds and upwards, three-year-olds to carry 8st 7lb, four and upwards 9st 5lb; winning penalties and allowances, last mile and three-quarters of the Cesarewitch course (1¾m).

Mr. J. A. Rothschild's br c Beppo, by Marco—Pitti, 3 yrs., 8st 11lb (12lb allowance, and 6lb penalty) 1

Lord Derby's b f Keystone II., by Persimmon—Lock and Key, 3 yrs., 8st 13lb 3lb allowance and 9lb penalty) 2

Mr. Fairie's ch c Plum Tree, by Persimmon—Cauliflower, 3 yrs., 8st 10lb (3lb allowance and 6lb penalty) 3

The Jockey Club Stakes attracted 217 entrants, of whom 43 remained in after declaration of forfeit in January last. His Majesty the King was represented by Nulli Secundus, the French sportsman M. E. Blanc by Jardy and Val d'Or, and Chevalier Ginistrelli by Signorino. Beppo is a son of Marco (Barcaldine) from Pitti, by St. Frusquin from Florence, by Wisdom, but during the current season he opened business at Liverpool by winning the Union Jack Stakes of 1000 sovs., ran fourth in the Two Thousand Guineas, sixth to Spearmint in the Derby, third to Black Arrow in the St. James' Palace Stakes at Ascot, and second to Llangibby in the Eclipse Stakes at Sandown Park. Keystone II., who ran second, is by the King's famous sire Persimmon from Lock and Key, by Janissary from Seclusion, by Hermit, and was bred by her owner, Lord Derby. This season she distinguished herself by winning a couple of races—including The Oaks—worth in the aggregate £7750. Plum Tree, who filled the other situation, is also by Persimmon from Cauliflower, by Common from Ethel Agnes, by Bend Or from Tiger Lily, by Macaroni. During the current year he annexed the Red Rose Stakes at Manchester and the Goodwood Cup, worth in the aggregate £2457.

GENERAL CABLE NEWS.

MAIL ROUTES FROM THE EAST.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

The British and German postal authorities at Shanghai have selected the Canadian route for their mails, instead of that via Suez.

FOOTBALL.

The South African team of footballers played their opening match to-day. The visitors beat a team representing the East Midlands by 37 points to nil.

VICTORIAN PRODUCTS.

Mr. J. W. Taverner, Agent-General for Victoria, held a reception at the Victorian Court of the Grocers' Exhibition at the Agricultural Hall, Islington. Among the guests were many Australians, several of the largest provincial grocers, and representatives of the War Office and the Admiralty. All the visitors were greatly interested in the display of products from Victoria.

CARDIFF DOCKS.

The Marquis of Bute offers to sell his interest in the Cardiff docks and the railway to the Cardiff Corporation.

CONGO MISRULE.

The Rev. Dr. Clifford strongly appeals to Great Britain to end the misrule of Leopold, King of the Belgians, in the Congo Free State.

SCOURGE OF CANCER.

HOPE OF CURE.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

Professor Leyden, in closing the international conference on cancer research at Frankfort, stated that experiments on animals justified the hope that it would be possible ere long successfully to combat cancer.

Dr. Ernest Bashford, general superintendent of the Imperial Cancer Research Fund, in the course of his annual report, had no hesitation in saying that the research carried out in the laboratories of the fund gave great hope for the future in the treatment of cancer. He said, "As regards attempts to modify the well established tumours, the results of exposure to radium have given little encouragement. It has, however, been possible to make mice highly unsuitable for growth so that on subsequent inoculation tumours do not develop. It is necessary, however, to point out that nothing but harm can result from ignoring the fact that the experiments only indicate the possibility of rendering normal mice unsuitable for the growth of experimental cancer. They do not enable the progress of experimental tumours to be arrested with certainty, far less do they enable the cure of natural disease to be effected. But the results of the experimental study of cancer compare favourably with the complete failure of all the reputed empirical remedies forwarded to the laboratory to be tested. Four years ago there seemed little hope of acquiring new knowledge of cancer. In the interval it has been made the object of systematic experimental study, and the advance in knowledge now enables all the features of spontaneous cancer in ice to be reproduced at will and healthy mice to be protected from all the consequences of inoculating them with experimental cancer. This having been achieved, it is not too much to hope that the further development of the experimental study of cancer will ultimately yield results having a direct bearing on the nature and treatment of the diseases."

"BREEZE" IN THE SENATE.

PRECEDENT AND PRESIDENT.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL REPORTERS.)

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The temperament of the Senate is placid. Nothing disturbs its atmosphere of serenity beyond occasional formal dissents from the decisions of the President, which, however, are usually discussed calmly. But to-day there was a "breeze," which at one point threatened to become serious. The President last week, when some hours were taken up with a debate upon his ruling, showed signs of restiveness. He said that he was getting tired of this constant question as to his decisions. To-day he told members that if they wanted another precedent they had better get another President.

The matter started in this way: The Standing Orders required to be suspended in order to have the Constitution Alteration Bills read the third time. All such bills require that senators should be given 24 days' notice to be present, so as to vote. The suspension of the Standing Orders do away with the 24 days' notice. Senator Playford, Minister of Defence, therefore moved the necessary motion for the suspension of the Standing Orders relating to "any Constitution Alteration Bill." Senator Drake (Q.) objected. He said the motion was not limited in its operation to a particular purpose for which the suspension was sought. Senator Playford said he would amend the motion, so as to make it refer unmistakably to one particular bill. To this Senator Drake still objected, and he spoke at length urging his contentions. When he had finished the President ruled against him, saying that Senator Drake was arguing against precedent. Senator Drake would not accept the ruling, and the usual debate was then expected. The President, however, said: "I'm getting tired of this constant dissent from my ruling. I'll put the question. Those in favour say 'Aye.'"

"Aye," said Senator Drake and one or two others.

"For the question say no."

"No," chorused Ministerial supporters loudly.

Senator Drake meanwhile reiterated: "I object, I object!" and a division was called for. Senator Clemons (T.) shouting, "I say the division is out of order; I'll leave the Chamber." He went towards the door. Senator Drake followed him, while members moved across to the opposite benches to uphold the President's ruling. Senator Millen (now standing in his place) said, "I make my protest. There is no standing order which permits a division being taken in this way. It's absolutely monstrous." Meanwhile there was a group in the gangway. Some of the members going out and others coming in, and Senator Clemons in their midst shouted, "Come out, come out!" It was then found that there were no members on the President's left against the decision—and the ruling was, therefore, upheld.

On Senators resuming their seats Senator Millen said the President had "bulldozed the Chamber," and at this there were shouts and disorder from all sides.

The PRESIDENT: "I'm getting very tired of these objections and of bringing myself and my position into a question of party politics, and I'll not stand it. If you want another precedent to be adopted I'm quite willing to resign, but I really think it is most unfair, and—"

Senator MILLEN said he objected to the form in which the motion had been put forward. It left it possible that on some future occasions a matter might be rushed through the House without proper notice being given.

After several divisions on the various motions, according to procedure, Senator Playford carried the day triumphantly, and business went on with the usual placidity.

EIGHT HOUR DAY.

HOLIDAY PROGRAMME.

The eight hour anniversary will be celebrated on Monday by the workers of Sydney with as much enthusiasm as its 50 predecessors. The usual demonstration will be held, but the arrangements on this occasion have been altered, with the view of providing for an entirely outdoor programme. Consequently the customary dinner has been postponed till the following Saturday evening, and the sports programme, which has formerly been finished late in the afternoon, will be commenced at the Agricultural Ground, and continued in the evening on the Sydney Cricket Ground. The cycling events, including the one-mile bicycle championship of Australia, are among the fixtures for the evening. The sports programme will be carried out under the auspices of the Athletic League and the Amateur Athletic Associations, and a series of children's races and competitions will be a feature of the day.

The procession of trades, which is the great feature of the day, will start from the Trades Hall, Goulburn-street, at 9.30 a.m., and will march through George, Park, Oxford, and Flinders streets, to the Agricultural Ground. Mr. George Moody, the head marshal, will have charge of the procession, which will represent 53 trades, and will be accompanied by 19 bands. Prizes of £25, £10, and £5 will be given for the best of the displays, and prizes of £30 and £10 will be awarded for the best spectacular display.

The spring meeting of the Australian Jockey Club is sure to attract many thousands of sport lovers, whether the weather be fine or wet. The annual racing event is in its early stages, and the prospects of the Spencer and Metropolitan candidates are the principal topic of conversation.

Those who hate a crowd, and who are not attracted to sport will find pleasant relaxation at one of the many resorts of which Sydney people are so justly proud. The service to Clifton Gardens, Balmoral, and the Spit will be considerably augmented, while the Parramatta River steamers will run at frequent intervals for the benefit of those who wish to visit Ryde, Gladesville, or Correy's Gardens. Manly, a source of never-ending pleasure to many, will have its share of visitors, and sufficient steamers will be put on to meet the demand which will be made on their accommodation.

Special holiday matinees are announced at several of the theatres. At Her Majesty's an afternoon performance of "The Squaw Man" will be given by Mr. J. C. Williamson's company. The Saturday programme at the Tivoli will be repeated, and a matinee will also be given at the Criterion, where the "Fatal Wedding" Company is playing a return season. The popular pictures, "America at Work," which are being shown at the Lyceum Hall, will be presented on Monday afternoon and evening only at the Palace Theatre. On Monday evening Mr. Bland Holt's company will present "The Great Millionaire" at the Theatre Royal, and the Athenæum and other halls will give holiday performances. The farewell performance of Madame Blanche Arral, at the Town Hall, is also announced for Monday evening.

If you want to BORROW MONEY, go to N.S.W. Mont de Piete Co., Ltd. Capital, £100,000. 74 Castlereagh-street, 74. Eustace Bennett, general manager.—Advt.

THE FEDERAL ELECTIONS

MR. REID AT DUBBO.

SUPPORT OF MR. D. B. ACTON.

HOW THE CAUCUS WORKS.

A PRETENCE OF PREFERENTIALISM.

INCREASED PROTECTION.

DUBBO, Friday.

Mr. Reid addressed a meeting here to-night in the Protestant Hall, in support of Mr. Acton's candidature for the Darling electorate. The Mayor (Alderman J. Heane) presided, and the hall was packed, the large audience including many ladies. There were few disenticients, and many kindly asides, the speaker being frequently applauded.

Mr. Reid said he had much pleasure in revisiting Dubbo in support of a definite candidate of the committee of the leagues connected with the Democratic Union. The leagues had sent delegates to the conference at which certain names had been submitted, with the result that Mr. D. B. Acton, of Mudgee, was selected to stand on behalf of its members for the Federal Parliament. There were one or two gentlemen, he learned, who were not inclined to vote for Mr. Acton because he was not a man of independent means. But it by no means followed that a man of independent means was necessarily a man of independent principle. Nor because a man had not a lot of money he could not be an independent public man. If they went by wealth almost every great man in Australian politics would not be in politics at all. Mr. Spence did not pretend to be a man of wealth. As far as Mr. Reid was concerned his experience in politics, covering 26 years, absolutely rejected money test as test either of merit or of independence. He regarded Mr. Acton as a fair representative of the great body of the people in this country, because, as they knew, there were not two or three thousand men who could be called men of independent means. The great mass of the people of Australia had been men who had worked day by day for their living, and had no wealth when they started life in Australia. (Applause.) Mr. Acton was held in high esteem in Mudgee. He was president of the School of Arts and of the Caledonian Society—a society which he (Mr. Reid) naturally took an interest in, because he was a real Scotchman. He could recommend Mr. Acton strongly for support, on the grounds which he mentioned. In asking for support in the first place, Mr. Acton had to say that if he was elected he would go into Parliament absolutely free; he would not be a member or part of a caucus; he would be at liberty to vote according to his honest, individual convictions; he would not be the representative of a Labour League, but he would represent the electors of the whole constituency. He would point out that whereas Mr. Spence had been a member for a long time, he could not come before the electors of Darling unless the Labour League gave their authority. In spite of his long connection with Darling, if Mr. Spence wished to address the electors of Darling he could not do so before the Labour League had endorsed him, and allowed him to go out. If he did so, he would violate the pledges given to the league, under whose auspices he was. The Liberal candidates came out under the auspices of the Democratic Union, but they were not compelled to ask permission before they came out, nor were they asked to sign any pledge. There was no caucus. Mr. Acton was chosen by about 20 delegates, without giving the slightest pledge. He was as free a candidate as any man in Australia, and if elected he would prove his personal value in Federal politics.

TYRANNY OF THE CAUCUS.

After referring to the fact that out of 74 members in the House of Representatives, without the Speaker, there were 38 Labour members, Mr. Reid said that, among the socialists, if it wanted to vote according to their convictions they would be forced to vote with the caucus. He fully illustrated the effect of the system as sacrificing personal liberty and independent convictions to party domination. He pointed out how, in a House of 74, the minority by means of the caucus called the majority. He unsparingly condemned the principle of the caucus as leading to tyranny. Such a state of things might suit a secret society in Italy, or in down-trodden countries like Russia, where men were in danger of their lives and could not exercise the right of free men; but the principle was opposed to all advanced ideas in Australia. Their liberty has been won long ago. They had got a free country in Australia, and they did not need any secret society to exercise their rights. Political power in Australia should be in the hands of every man and woman without regard to their wealth or their occupation. The caucus was contrary to the genius of a free people. Members should be returned by all the electors who would vote according to their honest convictions in the Parliament of their country. If Mr. Acton beat Mr. Spence, he would not be bound by any tie.

A voice: He'll never get in.

Mr. Reid: Well, let him have a try for it, and if he does he'll not go by permission of any league. (Applause.) Their present representative, before he could be allowed to come before the electors of the Darling, had to be on exhibition and pass a test. He did not know how many members of the Labour League there were in the electorate. There might be something like a thousand. But there were 25,000 electors. Mr. Spence supported by 20,000 could not become a candidate unless these thousand of the league gave permission.

A SHAM PREFERENCE.

Passing on Mr. Reid spoke on the three parties in the House, and dealt scathingly with the tyranny of unions. He did not condemn unions of themselves, but the way they were employed to establish selfish advantages at the expense of the community, and he strongly condemned the principle of preference to unions. Mr. Reid dealt with the Deakin tariff proposals as against the interests of the whole community, especially farmers, who had to pay 4l per cent., protection as well as £12 on each harvester to suit a few Victorian manufacturers. With reference to the scheme of British preferential trade, Mr. Reid said besides nine and a half millions sterling of iron and steel manufactures and machinery more than six millions, piece goods, including woollens, amounted to more than six millions sterling. These three heads included twenty-one and a half millions sterling, to the thirty-seven and a half millions sterling of Australian imports. The preferential trade included two items, one of which was the import from foreign countries to the value of twenty thousand, and in the other the import from foreign countries amounted to £97 only, so that out of these seventy-one millions of imports and manufactures only £20,000 worth of foreign was affected. Put altogether, 13 of 20 items of preference only amounted to £160,000. The total range then of the preferential scheme was not expected be the Minister to be more than about £200,000 of foreign imports per annum. The effect of the scheme would be to seriously increase the duties upon the items included against the rest of the world. Another part all through seemed to be to sneak in a higher degree of protection under cover of preferentialism and generally to the mother country. The climax in this matter was when the House of Representatives laid down a further condition that not only should the preferred goods be sent out direct in British ships, but that preference should be withheld if there was one member of the crew who was not a full-blooded white seaman. Such preference, coupled with such a condition to the mother country, with her hundreds of millions of coloured subjects, was really adding injury to what was little less than insult.

RECIPROCITY WITH NEW ZEALAND.

Then when they came to consider the scheme of reciprocity between New Zealand and the Commonwealth, what did they find, that at the very time the Commonwealth Government was professing to make the tariff easier for the mother country they were adding to the duties standing against the mother country. Under cover of the New Zealand arrangement they increased the duty on bacon and hams to the producing community by 33 per cent., upon English cheese by 33 per cent., upon British candles by 100 per cent., and Kentish hops by 100 per cent., and on certain kinds of British soap another 100 per cent. Then they had increased against the pioneers of Australia in the remoter districts of the interior the duty on preserved milk by 100 per cent. Now, preserved milk was the one actual essential to comfort in the bush; yet this enormous increase of duty was imposed upon the Australian country districts under cover of arrangement with New Zealand, the real object being to give a larger measure of protection to the manufacturers of this article in Australia at the expense of their fellow-Australians. There was not a single duty on the existing tariff which helped the manufacturers that had been reduced under this preferential arrangement.

PRIMARY PRODUCERS HAMPERED.

Mr. Reid further showed how the tariff hampered primary producers, how all duties removed were in favour of New Zealand. In the course of a speech which lasted an hour and three-quarters, Mr. Reid exhaustively analysed the socialist scheme, which would reduce the people to one vast industrial army, ruled by a few industrial bosses, and quoted Henry George's condemnation of socialism, and the famous letter of Pope Leo XIII. upon trades unions.

At the close of the address, Mr. Reid received a vote of thanks, on the motion of Mr. J. A. Ryan.

HOW LABOUR IS ORGANISED.

A WOMAN'S EXAMPLE.

ism to get to work. It can gain its great object if it will use its immense strength for one day. The most disheartening thing about election campaigns is that the people—with whom all the strength and power lie—will not realise their strength and exert their power. Democracy owes great thanks to the energetic few who organise on its behalf. But this tendency to let others do the work, and to suppose that one's duty has been done when one has suffered oneself to be dragged to the polling-booth, is perhaps the worst menace of democracy. A vote is a precious thing. It admits every man and woman to a partnership in the affairs of State. And since the affairs of State reach higher than mere business matters, reach out till they touch the social and moral wellbeing of the whole people, there is something almost sacred about the use of it. For just that reason the appeal to patriotism against prejudice is not a mere party cry. It goes beyond and above party. It is an appeal for unity in the place of discord, for strength where weakness is fatal, for wisdom where folly is rampant. It is not meant to antagonise the worker, but to protect him from those who exploit his .ote and sacrifice his real interests for the gains to be made from political chaos. No party has shown itself more ruthless than the Socialist party; none has been more ready to play with its supposed principles, more eager to live politically from hand to mouth. And when that is so flagrantly obvious it is hard to see how anyone who values political honesty, or has any hope in patriotism and principle, can hesitate to throw his weight on the side of sane democracy against a sham socialism. The outstanding danger to the fight against socialism is indifference. But surely experience has had time to teach. Surely the lesson has gone home. We shall deserve all we get of incompetence if it has only gone home to roost. Next to indifference comes delay. The crisis must not be upon us before we are ready for it. Much splendid work has been done, but more remains to do, right on until victory is assured. Time and again it has been shown how irresistible a patriotic rally may be. Let us once again make it the salvation of democracy.

MAITLAND COLLIERY DISPUTES.

PREPARING TO RESUME WORK.

DIFFERENCES AT TWO MINES.

KURRI KURRI, Friday.

Up to 11 a.m. to-day Stanford-Merthyr, Pelaw Main, Hebdon Greta, and East Greta collieries had made definite arrangements to resume work.

A dispute arose at Abermain on Thursday over the demand of a defeated checkweighman to be allowed to cavil. The manager refused to allow him to cavil, and the men, acting on the advice of the district president, declined to draw a cavil.

At Hebburn colliery, a meeting was held on Thursday night, when a deputation was sent to the manager, in regard to the refusal of the men to sign the agreement submitted, which they alleged was not that in operation previously to the cessation of work. A number o' the men had already signed on, however. The agreement in question had been written on the first page of a book only, and the names were signed on the following pages. The manager said he was prepared to establish this agreement, but the lodge would not accept the proposal, contending that it contained some new and drastic clauses. The manager said that the agreement had been read to all the men who signed it. This the men deny. Mr. Bowling, the district president, advised the men not to resume unless the old conditions were given in their entirety. A show of hands taken showed that only one man in 10 had signed this agreement since May. The matter is still unsettled, but the president promised to see the chairman of the Colliery Owners' Association with a view to coming to an early settlement.

MR. BOWLING ON THE SITUATION.

NEWCASTLE, Friday.

Regarding the hitch which has occurred in the settlement of the trouble at the Hebburn and Abermain collieries, Mr. Bowling, president of the Colliery Employees' Federation, expressed his views on the situation this afternoon.

In explaining the position, Mr. Bowling said that at Hebburn colliery the manager, Mr. Harle, desired the men to sign an agreement, which, he must admit, was first introduced by him in this year. The method which Mr. Harle adopted by way of introducing that agreement was one which would commend itself to no one who believed in fair dealing as between manager and men. The Hebburn lodge or the federation was unaware that any change had been made in the agreement existing prior to May, yet the manager, when employing fresh men, imposed the new conditions on them without even notifying them of any change. Neither the lodge nor the federation could countenance such questionable tactics. The men were prepared to sign the agreement in existence before May, which had been recognised by the lodge and the federation. In regard to the Abermain agreement, he said the employees recognised it as a drastic one; yet the men, in order to keep faith with the promise made at the recent conference, were prepared to sign it and go to work. The obstacle in the way was purely a personal matter between the manager, Mr. Fletcher, and the ex-checkweighman. Clause 12 of the agreement provided that a man should have the right to cavil in again on leaving the checkweighmanship, but the manager distinctly refused to allow this checkweighman to have a cavil. He (Mr. Bowling) had interviewed Mr. Fletcher, and afterwards advised the men to sign the agreement. In regard to employment of the checkweighman, the manager absolutely declined to discuss the matter with him, and refused to recognise any right he had to introduce the question.

"Was it right," he asked, "that Mr. Harle should jeopardise the prosperity of the district by insisting on this agreement, or that Mr. Fletcher should allow personal feeling to intervene in a settlement of the whole question?" If such was to be the case, it would show lack of sincerity on the part of the proprietors in regard to the resumption of work. "Unless something is definitely known," continued Mr. Bowling, "before the end of this week in regard to the resumption of work on Monday next, there the men of the Newcastle district must mark time, or, to put it in plain words, take a holiday until matters are adjusted in the Maitland district." Concluding, he said he would have no hesitation in sending instructions to the lodge secretaries to that effect.

LATE MINING.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

To-day's sales and quotations were:—

Western Australian mines: Associated (col.), 26s 6d, 27s, 27s 6d, 27s; Bayley's, 1s 5d, 1s 6d, 1s 7d; Perseverance (col.), 8s, 8s 7s 11d, 8s, s 8s; Cumberland, b 2s 9d, s 4s 1d; Boulder, 26s, 26s 1d, b 26s, s 26s 1½d; Pole, 4s 6d, b 4s 5d, s 4s 6d; Ridge, b 4s 3d, s 4s 6d; Whitford (paid), 1s 6d, 1s 7d, s 1s 6d, s 1s 7d; ditto (contg.), 2s 3d, 2s 4d, 2s 1d, 2s 2d, b 2s 2d, s 2s 4d; Grant's, 1s; Margaret, b 3s 7d, s 3s 8d; South Kalgurli (col.), b 25s 6d, s 26s 9d, 4s 6d, South Kalgurli (col.), b 25s 6d, s 26s 9d, 4s 6d, South Kalgurli (col.), b 25s 6d, s 26s 9d, 4s 6d; Silver: British (old), 57s 6d, 58s, b 58s 9d, s 59s; ditto (new), 56s 3d, 56s, 58s, b 57s 9d, s 58s; Block 10, 93s 6d, 94s, b 93s 6d, s 94s 6d; Block 14, pref. (col.), 35s 6d, 36s, b 36s, s 36s Block 14, pref. (col.), 35s 6d, 36s, b 36s, s 36s 1½d; ditto, ord. (col.), 33s 6d, 33s 6d, b 32s 3d, s 33s 6d; Horseshoe, 86s 6d, 86s 9d, b 85s 6d, s 86s; Junction North, 26s 3d, 26s 4½d, 25s 10½d, 26s, b 26s, s 26s 1½d; Junction, 8s, s 3d, 7s 8d, b 7s 7d, s 7s 9d; Northa, 75s 3d, 75s 6d, 75s, 75s 3d, b 75s, s 75s 3d; New White Lead, 4s 4½d, 4s 2d, b 4s 1d, s 4s 3d; Southa, paid, £6 1s, £6 1s 3d, b £6 1s, s £6 1s 3d; ditto contributing, £5 10s, £5 11s, £5 10s 6d, b £5 10s, s £5 11s; South Blocks, Ltd., 3s 4½d, b 3s 3d, s 3s 6d.

Tin: Briseis, b 12s 9d, s 13s; Stannary, 2s 8d, b 2s 9d, s 2s 10d; debentures, b £13 10s, s £14; Dalziell, b 7s 8d, s 8s; Ringarooma, b 72s, s 76s.

Various: Smith's, 4s, 4s 3d, b 4s 1d, s 4s 4d; Echunga, 24s, 26s.

Copper: King's Bluff, b £8 10s, s £9; Kapunda, 6s 2d, 6s 3½d, 6s 1d b 6s, s 6s 2d; Paull's, 90s; O.K., paid, 12s, 11s 10½d, 13s 10½d, 13s 9d, b 13s 7½d, 13s 9d; Molloy, 15s, b 14s 9d, s 15s 3d; Wallaroo, 59s, 58s 9d, b 58s 9d, s 59s.

GYMPIE, Friday.

To-day's sales were:—No. 1 North Columbia (new), 2s.

Quotations: Columbia, contg, 6d, 1s 1d; No. 1 North Columbia (old), 2s 1d, 2s 6d; ditto (new), 1s 11d, 2s 1d; No. 2 Columbia, 5s 9d, 6s 3d; Glanmire Reserve Tribute, contg, 1s 2½d 1s 11d; Oriental Extended, paid, 11½d, 1s 2d; Columbia Extended, 6d, 9d; East Oriental and Glanmire, paid, 9d, 1s 3d; Smithfield and Phoenix Golden Pile, 4s, 7s; Eastern Smithfield Tribute, 9d, 10½d; No. 1 North Victory, 6d, 1s.

TASMANIAN GOLF TOURNAMENT.

HOBART, Friday.

The amateur championship golf meeting concluded to-day, when Miss Whitesides (Hobart) won the ladies' championship from the holder, Miss Arthur, of Longford, by 11 strokes.

The most refreshing of stimulants is Wolfe's Schnapps, and it is the best known corrective of the system. Take one small glass morning and night.—Advt.

VICTORIA.

WOMEN'S NATIONAL LEAGUE.

FLOCK FACTORY ON FIRE.

MELBOURNE, Thursday.

Early this morning a flock factory in South Melbourne was found afire. The outbreak was extinguished by the fire brigade, but not until considerable damage had been done to machinery, stock, and building.

[The above appeared in a portion of yesterday's issue.]

TRAIN DERAILED.

A SCHOOLBOY'S PRANK.

The engine of the morning train from Wahgunyah to Springhurst was derailed at Ruthergien when crossing the points this morning. An examination of the points showed that two stones had been placed between the point-blade and the rail, leaving an opening about 2in wide. This afternoon a confession was obtained from three schoolboys that they placed the stones there yesterday evening while playing after school.

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MR. JUDKINS' CHARGES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

The State Cabinet to-day decided to do nothing further with respect to the charges made by Mr. Judkins on Sunday week against the administration of justice in regard to gambling.

The annual demonstration of the Women's National League was held last night in the Town Hall. The speakers were Messrs. Bruce Smith, M'Lean, and M'Cay, M.P. All the speakers advocated a revision of the tariff in the direction of removing anomalies, so that the fiscal question should not divide the anti-socialist party.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

THE WOOL SALES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

The opening wool sales of the season were held yesterday, when about 16,000 bales, mostly from the far northern and north-eastern country, were offered. Competition was keen for clips suitable for Continental manufacturers. The wool is in rather heavier condition than a year ago, but allowing for this all good fleeces sold practically at the same rates as ruled at the commencement of the season. Any irregularity took place on heavy and ill-conditioned wools, which were marked down to the extent of 5 per cent.

ALLEGED CUSTOMS FRAUDS.

When the charge of conspiracy against Mr. Charles Tucker, member of the Legislative Assembly, in connection with the alleged Port Adelaide Customs frauds, was called on at the Police Court this morning, an application for a further remand was made on behalf of the prosecution. The case was thereupon remanded till Friday next, and bail was reduced to one surety of £100.

ALLEGED EMBEZZLEMENT.

The case of W. H. Prewin, Port Adelaide manager for Harris, Scarfe, and Co., Ltd., was called on at the police court to-day. The information charged him: "That, at Port Adelaide, on December 13, 1905, being then employed as a servant of G. P. Harris, Scarfe, and Co., Ltd., he did receive and take into his possession for and on account of G. P. Harris, Scarfe, and Co., the sum of £3½ 3s, and the said moneys fraudulently and feloniously embezzled." The case was adjourned until October 5.

NEW ZEALAND.

VOTE FOR MRS. SEDDON.

WELLINGTON, Friday.

A vote of £9000 to the late Mr. Richard Seddon's widow was passed by the House of Representatives to-night without debate.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

The directors of the South British Insurance Company have declared a dividend of 3s per share for the last half-year. The sum of £40,000 has been added to the reserve fund, and £10,999 to the reinsurance fund.

SOUTH COAST COLLIERIES.

WOLLONGONG, Friday.

Loading operations at Port Kembla this week have been considerably interfered with by rough seas. The steamer Aeon arrived on Friday last, and after loading part of her cargo had to leave the jetty on Tuesday, and again on Thursday. The Karori loaded 1000 tons of coke for Tasmania, and the Timaru, 420 tons of coal for Sydney. The Karitane, for 700 tons of coke, was unable to load to-day, and had to anchor in the bay. Other large vessels due are the Century for 6000 tons of coal and 500 tons of coke, for Western Australia; the Ionia, for 5000 tons of coal; the Frederick Mansell, for 1200 tons of bunker coal.

The extension of the rails to the new quarry at the harbour works is nearing completion. As soon as the necessary stone for the railway embankment is obtained all hands at the old quarry will be transferred to the new. Stripping the face of the quarry is proceeding, but it will take some time yet to complete.

The Mount Lyell coke ovens are fully employed.

At the port of Wollongong the trade was well sustained during the week. The Werfa loaded 1000 tons of coal; Mount Kembla, 2222 tons: Kurrara, 1260 tons; Herga, 500 tons; Wallsend, 460 tons; and Timaru, 900 tons, all for Sydney. The Ripple loaded 60 tons for southern ports, and the Alfred Fenning 20 tons for the Manning River.

The motion passed by the South Bulli Lodge re giving 14 days' notice in the event of an increased hewing rate not being granted is causing a great deal of discussion in the mining community. A similar motion is to be submitted to all district lodges, and a meeting of delegates will be held on the 16th proximo.

AMATEUR BAND CONTEST.

MUSIC IN THE PARKS.

OPENING OF THE COMPETITION.

Several thousands of persons were attracted to Hyde Park last night—some by the foreknowledge that a series of brass band contests was to begin, others by no other notice than the strains of music unexpected. And for some three hours the audience was entertained with admirable music, and was by no means bored, although the same selection was repeated seven times.

The contest has been promoted by the Band Association of New South Wales, which had two main objects in view. The first was the encouragement of playing in the public parks, the second was to select a band to represent this State at the New Zealand Exhibition, competition in February next. The various bands are also earning an aggregate sum of £300 from the City Council for playing programmes in the public parks. That money was voted to a contest fund, and then a proposal was issued inviting competitors from all New South Wales and the other States. The idea was to make the competition one for an Australian championship, but the Ballarat contest took all the attention of the bands in most of the other States, and consequently entries came only from New South Wales.

There were 20 entrants, but six dropped out, and reduced the number of actual competing bands to 14. The value represented by prizes is over £260, the bulk of which is in cash. This necessarily strained the funds badly, and an appeal was made to the Government for a subsidy. The Premier went carefully into the matter, and finding that it was a genuine effort to popularise band music in the parks and encourage gatherings of bandsmen in Sydney, decided to circulate money, promised a grant of £350. The result is that there are in town to-day fully 500 bandsmen, including some country bands, who have entered, not with the intention of competing, but so that they might be in Sydney in order to learn from watching the playing of their more experienced confreres. Cobar, out in the far west, sends two bands, both active competitors. They number 70 men, and have been given leave of absence for a week, and a local public subscription equal to a week's wages. It has taken four months to organise the contests.

The competitions have been classed into two grades, "A" and "B," and there are seven bands in each grade. "B" grade opened the contest last night, and will be the competitors again to-night. They play for a first prize of £75, together with Rooney silver cup, and three other prizes. "A" grade will compete on Monday and Tuesday nights for a first prize of £200 cash, together with the Benson challenge cup, and four other prizes. Then in addition there are a series of solo competitions, commencing this afternoon in Wesley Hall, Regent-street. At none of the competitions is there any charge or pay collection; the bandsmen and the Band Association defray all expenses, and the secretary, Mr. J. H. Thompson, emphasised last night the fact that if the association gives some encouragement to bandsmen, and helps to popularise their work it will have achieved its object.

The test piece for "B" grade last night was Bellis's "La Bersalera," and tonight it will be Archer's "Marco Sparzo." The "A" grade has no test piece; each band will present its own selection. The judges are Messrs. Henry Basel (chairman), A. Lovell (Riverwood band), and J. Charlesworth (Lithgow Band). Their decision will not be given till Tuesday night, when the contests end. The "B" grade bands (of 30 performers each) who played last night were South Sydney, Orange, Manly Borough Metropolitan, Cobar, District, Cobar Town, Mudgee Town, and Keira.

Dyspepsia in its worst forms will yield to the use of Carter's Little Liver Pills. Dose, one Pill each meal. Is 1d. But be sure they are Carter's.—Advt.

An attractive page referring to the great project of the Y.M.C.A. appears in the current issue of the "Sydney Mail."—Advt.

MONSOONAL RAINS.

MANY BENEFICIAL FALLS.

AN INCH IN THE FAR WEST.

The monsoonal rainstorm travelled across the State during Thursday night, and is still progressing in a north-easterly direction. Beneficial falls have occurred over more than two-thirds of the State, and at many places the amounts have equalled or exceeded an inch.

West of the Darling the best totals were 116 points at Hungerford, and 90 points at Wannaring; and north of the Darling 160 at Barringun, 80 at Enngonia, and 82 at Goodooga. Between tre Darling, Bogan, and Lachlan, 164 points at Brewarrina, 110 at Gongolgon, were the heaviest; but Cobar and Mount Hope had 50 points, Euston 52, and Bourke 45 points.

On the central western plains the amounts were mostly heavy. Five stations had over an inch, and several others over three-quarters of an inch. On the central western slopes important districts, such as Dubbo, Parkes, and Forbes, had respectively 66, 88, and 70 points. In the Riverina, Corowa, on the Murray, received 83 points, Cudgellico 80, Deniliquin 75, and Urana 71 points; while on the south-western slopes Tumut benefited to the extent of 155 points, Tumbarumba by 120, and several other places by 80 to 50 points. On the central tablelands, Hill End had 65, Bathurst 54, Wellington 41, and Orange 42 points.

Light showers were registered in the Hunter districts, but little or nothing in the metropolitan and South Coast districts. Rain commenced to fall in the city at 4 o'clock yesterday morning, but the total quantity registered at the Observatory was only 11 points.

The complete registrations for the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. were as follow:—

	Points		Points
Angledool	28	Katoomba	2
Adelong	88	Louth	36
Albury	69	Kiama	4
Adaminaby	41	Kiandra	16
Barringun	160	Merriwa	55
Blackheath	6	Michelago	10
Blackville	39	Milparinka	26
Blayney	19	Moonjel	48
Boolgal	58	Moulamein	40
Bondella	75	Maitland	22
Bungendore	9	Merebene	99
Burrowa	50	Mogil	3
Bulrabil	55	Molong	53
Batmedman	130	Metakarrell	70
Bathurst	16	Moss Vale	1
Bourke	45	Mount Hope	50
Boorai	1	Mount Victoria	7
Brewarrina	164	Mudgee	13
Broken Hill	23	Murrumburrah	41
Carcoar	13	Muswellbrook	0
Carinda	115	Narrandera	51
Castilla	28	Newcastle	1
Cobar	50	Nindybella	83
Cedarcreek	29	Nevertire	88
Coolah	43	Nomoie	27
Coolamon	61	Orange	42
Coonabarabran	33	Pilliga	9
Coonamble	75	Parramatta	13
Cootamundra	67	Parkes	88
Cowra	57	Pomgarie	23
Coolgillie	156	Quambone	156
Canonbar	127	Queanbeyan	17
Carrathool	70	Quirindi	7
Corowa	83	Ro-Ako	17
Damalloo	58	Raymond Terrace	30
Deniliquin	75	Scone	28
Dubbo	66	Singleton	4
Euston	52	Sydney	11
Eualading	40	Tarajga	9
Emgonalla	8	Tarcutta	36
Earlton	3	Temora	83
Forbes	70	Thoobunra	17
Germanton	44	Tilpa	32
Goulburn	10	Terumwal	118
Grenfell	95	Trangle	118
Gilgandra	53	Tumbarumba	120
Gilgunnia	155	Tumut	155
Girilambone	86	Ungarie	71
Gongolgon	110	Urana	71
Goodooga	82	Wagga	34
Grenfell	61	Wellington	41
Gunning	83	Wentworth	47
Hungerford	116	White Cliffs	15
Hay	53	Wilcannia	15
Henty	52	Wollongong	11
Hill End	65	Wyalong	91
Hillston	35	Wanaaring	90
Hamboe	49	Warialda	105
Jerilderie	57	Wee Waa	7
Jerry's Plains	10	Yass	24
Junee	3	Young	94

Yesterday afternoon the rainstorm extended over the north-western plains and slopes, and by last evening had reached the northern tablelands and parts of the north coast. The additional records reported at 6 p.m. were:—

	Points.		Points.
Coonabarabran	33	Newcastle	16
Gunnedah	47	Port Macquarie	10
Maitland	47	Tamworth	42
Narrabri	72	Walgett	42

Mr. H. A. Hunt said last night that the monsoonal conditions, together with a depression to the south, are rapidly moving away to the east, and will be superseded by anticyclonic control, but there are indications that tropical rainy conditions will return when the present operating system has passed away.

Unsettled, showery, and thundery weather is expected over the north-eastern and coastal and highland districts to-day, but finer conditions in the west. Warm, northerly winds will probably give place to cool and squally southerlies. The rough seas in the Straits are moderating.

HEAVY RAINS IN VICTORIA.

FEARS OF FURTHER FLOODS.

MELBOURNE, Thursday.

Heavy rains have fallen to-day at various places in the country, particularly in the western district. This evening a wire was received from Wallanby police stating that heavy rains had fallen there, and Deep Creek was rising rapidly. This is one of the main tributaries of the Glenelg River. Later a message was received from Lancefield that heavy rains had fallen there, and that a great flood was expected. The police have, therefore, warned all residents of the low-lying parts of Footscray to be ready for an overflow of flood. Boats are also in readiness in case of necessity.

The heavy wind did considerable damage in the city this evening to hoardings, fences, and trees. The wind swept along Spencer-street with great force. The constable on the bridge was forced for shelter to his sentry-box. When he entered it he felt it quiver, so he came out again, and the box overturned with a crash.

The principal rainfalls registered to-day were:—Learmonth 280 points, Creswick 225, Apsley 290, Allandale 174, Heathcote 192, Murchison 176, and Avoca 152. Several stations recorded an inch and a half, and about a score over an inch, while a large number have registered lesser quantities.

[The above appeared in a portion of yesterday's issue.]

FLOODS IN NORTHERN TASMANIA.

GREAT DAMAGE TO PROPERTY.

LAUNCESTON, Friday.

Thursday night saw the most tremendous downpour of rain all along the north-west coast ever remembered. Rivers flowed beyond all previous marks, bridges were washed away, fences and properties were damaged, and there was much loss of live stock. To-day fine weather is reported, the storm extended to the west coast, but with less severity.

HOBART, Friday.

The floods raging on Thursday night in the north and north-west districts were scarcely felt southward, where rain would be welcomed.

SOUTH AUSTRALIAN CRISIS.

NO ACTION TILL TUESDAY.

ADELAIDE, Thursday.

The Premier, after a Cabinet meeting to-night, stated that no action would be taken in regard to the Legislative Council Franchise Bill until the House met again on Tuesday. He would consult all Government supporters at a meeting on Tuesday morning, but the whole matter was hung up in consequence of the latest development in the Legislative Council, and the Ministry have to wait and ascertain what the Council would put in the bill, and consider the whole position again.

[The above appeared in a portion of yesterday's issue.]

Friday.

The position of affairs in regard to the political crisis to-day is that the Legislative Council is still determined to send the Franchise Bill back to the House of Assembly with the amendments in it which Mr. Duncan proposed on Thursday.

The Premier, when asked to-night if he would accept these amendments, said "No."

LIQUOR LAW REFORM.

INTENTIONS IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

PERTH, Friday.

The intentions of the Government with regard to the liquor laws were incidentally disclosed in the Legislative Council during the debate on the amending bill relating to the liquor laws, which was introduced some weeks ago by Mr. Illingworth. The object of this measure is to suspend the granting of licenses for 12 months. In opposing it mainly on the grounds that it would be conferring a monopoly on existing license holders, the Attorney-General admitted the necessity for a wide reform of the liquor laws of the State. This reform, he added, would be embodied in a broad measure which the Government would introduce early next session. Local option would be one of the features of the bill, and power would be conferred on magistrates to withhold licenses from premises which were not up to the standard of locality requirements, compensation being granted without the imposition of taxation for the purpose.

ANGLICAN SYNOD.

The Anglican Diocesan Synod resumed its sittings at the Chapter-house yesterday afternoon. The Archbishop of Sydney, Dr. Saumarez Smith, presided.

UNION OF THE CHURCHES.

On the motion of Mr. J. A. I. Perry, it was agreed:—"That the present committee in re co-operation with the Presbyterian, Methodist, Congregational, and Baptist churches be reappointed for the purposes of continuing their work and reporting to the next session of synod."

ELECTION OF ARCHBISHOP.

The ordinance providing for the election of the Archbishop of Sydney was taken through committee, and the third reading made an order of the day for next sitting.

COMMITTEES.

The following committees were declared elected:—

Standing Committee.—Canon Archdall, Canon Boyce, Rev. W. A. Charlton, Canon Vaughan, Rev. W. H. H. Tarrington, Mr. H. B. Cowper, Mr. W. Crane, Mr. W. H. Beaver, Mr. T. C. J. Foster, Dr. A. Houison, Mr. J. Barre Jonston, Mr. J. Kent, Mr. E. W. Molesworth, Mr. J. A. I. Perry, Mr. E. H. Rogers, Mr. W. Russell, Mr. H. L. Tress, Mr. G. Wall, Mr. F. W. Uther.

General Synod.—Canon Archdall, Canon Boyce, Archdeacon of Camden, Archdeacon of Cumberland, Canon Jones, Canon Vaughan, Mr. W. R. Beaver, Mr. J. Kent, Mr. E. W. Molesworth, Mr. E. H. Rogers, Mr. H. M. Taylor, Mr. C. R. Walsh.

Provincial Synod.—Canon Archdall, Canon Boyce, Archdeacon of Camden, Archdeacon of Cumberland, Rev. W. A. Charlton, Rev. J. Dixon, Rev. C. C. Dunstan, Canon Jones, Rev. Dr. Manning, Canon Vaughan, Rev. E. S. Wilkinson, Rev. W. H. H. Tarrington, Mr. W. R. Beaver, Mr. F. S. Boyce, Mr. W. L. Docker, Mr. T. C. J. Barre Johnston, Mr. J. Foster, Mr. J. Kent, Mr. E. W. Molesworth, Mr. J. A. I. Perry, Mr. E. H. Rogers, Mr. H. M. Taylor, Mr. C. R. Walsh, Mr. F. W. Uther.

Tribunal Ordinance.—Council of reference: Canon Vaughan, Archdeacon Gunther, Mr. T. C. J. Foster, Mr. John Kent, Mr. C. R. Walsh.

Panel of Triers.—Canon Archdall, Rev. E. C. Beck, Canon Boyce, Rev. G. A. D'Arcy Irvine, Rev. G. C. Dunstan, Rev. F. R. Elder, Rev. R. S. Goddard, Rev. W. Hough, Rev. T. J. King, Rev. E. Lampard, Rev. F. B. Wilkinson, Rev. Canon Garnsey, Mr. W. R. Beaver, Mr. F. S. Boyce, Mr. L. S. Donaldson, Dr. A. Houison, Mr. W. R. Johnson, Mr. J. T. Lingen, Mr. E. W. Molesworth, Mr. E. H. Rogers, Mr. W. Russel, Mr. J. M. Sandy, Mr. G. Wall, Mr. F. B. Wilkinson.

Church Society.—Mr. H. Allard, Mr. A. J. Brierley, Mr. C. B. Browning, Mr. H. B. Cowper, Mr. W. Crane, Mr. W. B. Johnston, Mr. W. Russell, Mr. F. H. Selby, Mr. W. F. Tooze, Mr. H. Trenchard, Mr. H. M. Wedderburn, Mr. C. Wilshire.

Cathedral Chapter.—Dr. W. H. Cragg.

Sydney Church of England Grammar School for Girls.—Mrs. Wigram, Mrs. Selby, Ven. Archdeacon Langley, Mr. G. H. Moderu.

The King's School.—Mr. J. A. I. Perry.

Church Lands Committee.—Archdeacon Langley, Rev. W. Hough, Rev. C. E. Stoddart, Rev. W. L. Docker, Mr. W. Beckwith, J. M. Sandy, W. Russell, E. H. Rogers, E. W. Molesworth.

Cathedral Council.—The Archbishop of Sydney, Archdeacons Gunther and Langley, Canon Boyce, Revs. W. H. J. Rose, A. G. Stoddart, J. Dixon, J. H. Maclean, Messrs. H. B. Allard, J. Barre Johnston, W. R. Beaver, E. H. Russell, W. Uther, Dr. Cragg.

Clergy Widows and Orphans' Fund.—Rev. Dr. Manning, Senator A. J. Gould.

Clergy Superannuation Fund.—Rev. F. W. Keene, Mr. F. W. Street.

Diocesan Corresponding Committee of the Board of Missions.—Archdeacon Langley, Canon Boyce, Revs. W. T. Holliday, J. Dixon, W. A. Charlton, C. C. Dunstan, R. T. Noake, J. Hargrave, Messrs. F. R. Stronge, G. G. Moore, W. E. Toose, E. A. Goodhill, W. Noyce, Dr. A. Houison.

Religious Instruction in Public Schools.—Clerical: The Primate, Archdeacon of Camden, Archdeacon of Cumberland, Rural Deans ex officio, Canon Boyce, Canon Archdall, Revs. W. A. Charlton, W. J. Calcheard, A. E. L. Smith, Dr. Manning, H. G. H. Rose, D. J. Knox, R. O. Todd, H. J. Langley, F. B. Wilkinson, Lay: Messrs. F. W. Uther, J. Kent, W. R. Beaver, T. C. J. Foster, H. L. Tress, E. W. Molesworth, W. M. Wadewitz, R. T. Rabett.

Synod Nominators: Canon Boyce, Rev. H. W. Mort, Messrs. F. W. Uther, W. R. Beaver.

Auditors: Messrs. W. L. Docker, H. B. Cowper, F. B. Stronge.

The synod will resume its sittings at 4 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon.

PRESBYTERIAN ASSEMBLY.

ADMISSIONS TO THE MINISTRY.

The Presbyterian General Assembly met again in St. Stephen's Church yesterday morning. Consideration was given in committee to a report on the reception of ministers.

Dr. MacInnes submitted the report.

Mr. H. M. Fraser was declared a minister of the Church, eligible for a call.

The petition of the Rev. G. A. Hill, for admission to the ministry, was remitted to the members of the committee of reception of ministers as a commission, clothed with the assembly powers.

The report recommended that the petition of the Rev. A. H. Tolhurst be granted, and that he be received as a licentiate of the Church, eligible for a call after 12 months. This was approved.

HOME MISSIONS CELEBRATION.

The evening sitting was occupied in the Home Missions celebration, at which there was a full public attendance.

The Rev. F. E. Oxer, M.A. (Tasmania), spoke of the progress of mission work in that State. There was much need, he said, for mission enterprise there.

The Rev. H. W. Burridge, M.A. (Western Australia), said that in his State they were keeping the full machinery of a Church going with about 10 ministers. They had a small church incre, but it was a vigorous one, and was doing good work. There were 20 churches, 11 ministers, nine home missions, some very effective lay preachers, and 25,000 declared Presbyterians. Their aim was to keep in touch with the rapidly-growing Presbyterian population of the State. Wherever there were difficulties, and had to contend against united evil influences. It was hoped that the eastern churches would help them at a critical period of their Church history.

The Rev. Thomson (South Australia), put in a good word for the people in the interior of his State. The Presbyterian Church, he said, had neglected its interests in South Australia in the past, but the tide of retrogression had been stayed, and good progress was now being made. (Applause.)

The Rev. George Ewan (Queensland) said that in his State the Presbyterian Church was comparatively small. There were 32 ministers settled in charges, and 24 Home Mission agents at work in the field. The latter class of work was being extended as rapidly as possible.

The Rev. D. A. Cameron, M.A. (Victoria), told of the way home life was being built up far and wide in his State through the good influences of home mission work.

The Rev. Principal Harper, D.D., said that the Presbyterian Church was going to take national responsibility for the whole of Australia so far as its strength lay, and make the Church one that would tingle with life to its finger tips right to the farthest corner of the Northern Territory.

A vote of thanks to the speakers was moved by the Hon. J. Balfour, seconded by the Rev. John Walker, and carried unanimously.

CASUALTIES AND FATALITIES.

A RAILWAY FIREMAN INJURED.

Yesterday afternoon John Turner, 36, a locomotive fireman, met with a serious accident. He was standing alongside his engine at Eveleigh when a piece of coal, weighing about a hundredweight, fell off the tender and struck him on the head. The injured man was admitted to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital, suffering from a fractured skull.

A BOY SCALDED.

Henry Denehan, 9 years of age, living at Mary-street, Waterloo, was admitted to the Royal Prince Alfred Hospital yesterday suffering from severe scalds. It appears that the little fellow fell into a vat of soap that was on the point of boiling. His injuries were confined to the lower part of his body.

FATAL RIDING ACCIDENT.

WAGGA, Friday.

Yesterday Mr. P. Hann, Deputy-Coroner, conducted an inquiry at The Rock into the death of Ellen Lawrence, eldest daughter of Mr. Louis Lawrence, selector, at Rock Ville, aged 16. On Thursday afternoon the deceased who was a clever rider, hurriedly mounted a pony bareback for the purpose of catching a mare which had run away. In approaching a stump she endeavoured to guide the pony round one side, whereas the animal chose the other side. In consequence the girl fell heavily on the ground, practically breaking her neck, as death resulted in less than a quarter of an hour after the accident, which occurred in the presence of her parents. A verdict of accidental death was returned.

CHILDREN BURNT TO DEATH.

AUCKLAND, Friday.

By a fire in a cottage at Te Awamutu four children named Hutt, aged 13, 6, 5, and 2 respectively, were burned to death.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

A man named George Reid met with a nasty accident at Richmond to-day. He was in a train, and as it was leaving Richmond station he attempted to shut a window. The door being unlocked, it flew open, and he fell out. He sustained a fracture of the left arm, a dislocation of the left elbow, and several cuts about the head.

AMUSEMENTS.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

There will be a holiday matinee on Monday (instead of on Wednesday) of "The Squaw Man" at Her Majesty's Theatre, where the American drama is winning playgoers with its vivid scenes from ranch and backblocks life. Mr. J. C. Williamson's new company brings with it the atmosphere required for the turbulent, rough doings of the cowboys, with their guns always ready, and the authoritative "Sheriff," as rough as themselves. Mr. Charles Waldron plays with the needed touch of romance as Jim Carston, and the actors are generally well placed. Some reference to the career of Miss Ola Humphery appears in our Music and Drama column. The plan will be at the theatre office all Monday.

THEATRE ROYAL.

"The Great Millionaire" is proving strongly attractive at the Theatre Royal, and Mr. Bland Holt will accordingly forego the usual fortnightly change of programme. The Drury Lane drama deals with the endeavours of the wealthy Joseph Campbell to trace his lost daughter, and shows beautiful scenes of the rich man's park, and of the Royal reception at the Guildhall, where he is denounced for a mining swindle. An exciting scene shows a "corner" in the wheat market, and retribution takes the form of starvation for the millionaire's bread child during the bread riots which ensue. The great motor-car smash forms the final feature.

THE BLANCHE ARRAL CONCERTS.

Mme. Blanche Arral, who leaves for Melbourne on Tuesday, will give farewell recitals at the Town Hall on this evening and on Monday evening. The programme for to-night the accomplished operatic soprano will appear in scenes from the charming French work "Les Noces de Jeannette," and in excerpts from Lecocq's "Girofle-Girofla" and "La Fille de Juliette." David's "Perle du Bresil," and "The Grand Mogul." The beautiful songs from "Mignon" will also be repeated with scenery and costumes. Mr. Hivert Allpress will direct an operatic orchestra. Members of the State Government will be present to-night. Mr. Harold Bassett notifies that the cheapest seats for to-night will be sold only at Paling's, not at the doors.

CRITERION THEATRE.

Theodore Kremer's money-making melodrama "The Fatal Wedding" will be reproduced by Messrs. Meynell and Gunn to-night at the Criterion Theatre, the playhouse at which it entered upon a triumphant run last April. The company will be the same as before, with Miss May Congdon as the heroine, Miss Maisie Posner as Jessie, "the Little Mother," Mr. Charles Vane as the injured husband, Miss Dinah Cooper as Cora Williams, Mr. Herbert Leigh as the villain Curtis, and Mr. C. R. Stanford, Mr. Tom Cannam, Mr. Olly Bezring, and Miss Sinclair in other important parts. The songs, dances, and marches in the Children's Scene will be elaborately varied. There will be a matinee on Monday.

TIVOLI THEATRE.

This afternoon and evening at the Tiv

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

STOCKS AND SHARES.

Only a moderate number of sales was affected on 'Change yesterday. Neither Government stocks nor bank shares had any attention, prices being practically unaltered. A.J.S. "B" deposits advanced 1½d. North Coast Steam rose 4½d, while East Greta Coal, Colonial Sugar, and Permanent Trustee shares all sold at the previously ruling rates. Burgoyne offered 10s more for Wallsend coal, 9d more for Burns, Philp, old, and 6d less for Mont de Plete.

The following sales were reported:—Morning: North Coast Steam, 26s 9d, 27s; A.J.S. Bank "B" deposits, 13s 9d. Noon: North Coast Steam, 27s; Colonial Sugar, £42 12s 6d. Afternoon: North Coast Steam, 27s; Permanent Trustees, 5s 3d. Later: East Greta Coal, 25s.

Closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital Paid up.	Amount of Shares Paid Up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Yield to Investor.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	p.c
E. Kirrick, N.S.W. P.S., due 1912	4,000,702	...	8	90½	90	91	8½
Do., due 1913	1,250,175	...	8	99½	98	...	8½
Do., due 1923	2,540,350	...	4	102	102	103	3½
Do., due 1924-5	...	...	8	92	91	...	8½
Do., due 1918	...	...	4	100	99	...	3½
Do., Act 1875	830,188	...	4	97	108	...	3½
Do., Act 1906, due 1926	550,000	...	4	100½	100½	100¾	3½
Do., Deb., 1938	...	...	4	...	100	...	4
Do., T. Bills, 1907	1,199,200	...	8½	100	99	...	8½
Do., 1908	900,000	...	4	100½	100	...	3½
Do., 1909	900,000	...	4	100½	100	...	3½
Queens., Deb., 1905	...	...	4	99½	100	...	3½
Do., T. Bills, 1908	580,000	...	4	100½	100½	...	3½
W.A., Inscr., Austrln. Gas	...	...	4	101½	101	...	3½
Do., 1929	800,000	...	4	102½	101	...	3½
City Sydney, Deb.	900,000	...	4	102	102	103	3½
Do., 1908	100,000	...	4	102	102½	103½	3½
Cn. Sugar Do., 1914	...	...	5	108	107	...	4½
BANKS. Aust. N.Z.	154,529	81	1	...	...	...	...
Australasia	1,000,000	40	12	98	103	...	5
City	249,800	40	8	90	92	94	8½
New South	100,000	20	8	29½	63	67½	6
Commercial of Aust.	2,317,240	10	5	6 17 6	6¼	...	4½
Dist. Intrl.	1,000,000	25	12	20	20½	...	6
Com. Intrl.	1,000,000	20	10	20	20½	...	4½
N. of Aust.	1,192,110	8	8	4 80 6s	90 6	...	4½
Dist., pref.	5,518	10	10	11½	11½	...	4½
N.S.W.	2,000,000	20	10	10	48½	...	4½
N. Zealand	427,319	81	8	8 12 6	25	...	4½
N. Queensl'd	1,000,000	75	12	21	21	...	7½
Oriental Nat.	412,000	5	8	15½	...	...	10½
Bowl of Q.	457,619	9	6	3 9 5 nat.	9½	...	4½
Union**	1,000,000	25	10	53	53	...	4½
INVESTMENTS, T. & L. Aust.	270,000	...	...	3	19½	20½	...
Do., Def.	100,000	...	...	2	2	3	...
Citizens' Life	50,000	...	...	11	11	12	...
Do., pref.	100,000	...	...	11	11	12	...
Do., Trust.	200,000	...	...	11½	11½	11½	6½
Com. of Aust.	1,884,900	...	3	14½	15	...	4
E. & A. Insc.	800,000	...	...	18½	...	...	4½
Do., pref.	800,000	...	...	18½	...	...	4½
Do., Def.	800,000	...	4½	19½	...	...	4½
Q. Nat.	3,116,621	...	6	19½	19½	...	4½
STEAM. Pal. Ferry	80,000	1	10	40½	39	41	...
Tramway	49,375	1	15	29	29	...	5½
Howl'd Smith	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Coal	250,000	...	10½	97½	97½	98	10½
Do., Def.	...	...	10	95	95	...	10½
Do., Pref.	100,000	5	5	5	5	...	5
Do., Def.	100,000	1	6	5½	4½	...	5½
Do., Pref.	191,250	1	7	6½	6½	...	5½
Do., Def.	100,000	1	6	5½	4½	...	5½
Newcastle	100,000	1	10	10	10	...	10
Do., pref.	75,000	20	8	...	17½	18½	...
Do., pref.	17,597	20	6	...	20½	...	6
LAND & BD. Excels. Dep.	...	...	...	9½	...	...	...
Ind. Prov.	45,380	25	6	19	27	29	6
Metro. Inves.	37,938	1	15	26½	27	...	6½
New. B. & I.	...	...	6	19	...	...	...
Syd. Free T.	17,500	7	7	3½	3½	...	...

* Where dividends are thrown one year is based on a year's distribution, otherwise on the last half-year's one. † Per share. ‡ Ex dividend. ** Ex interest. § Call paid.

INTERSTATE EXCHANGES.

ADELAIDE, Friday.

On the Stock Exchange to-day quotations were:—Adelaide Steamship, b £7 15s, s £7 16s; Melbourne Trust, b 6s 10d, s 7s 3d.

BRISBANE, Friday.

To-day's quotations were:—Queensland National Bank, b 10s 3d, s 10s 6d.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

To-day's sales were:—Victorian 4 per cents., 1923, £105 10s; ditto, 3½ per cents., 1941, £100; Commercial Bank, pref., £7 15s; Metropolitan Gas, £10 6s; Emu Bay Railway, 5s 2d; ditto, pref A, 14s; Melbourne Tramway, 33s 6d, 33s 3d; Silverton Tramway, 97s 6d.

FINANCIAL.

AMERICAN INSURANCE COMPANIES' REMITTANCES.

Mr. Carlisle Taylor, general manager of the Equitable Life Assurance Society of the United States, writes:—

Sir,—Referring to the statement in your financial columns of this date to the effect that "almost every sovereign paid to a foreign office by way of premium on an Australian policy is immediately transmitted abroad," I would draw your attention to the fact that as regards the Equitable Life Assurance Society this is not correct.

The Equitable has invested in Australia, and has distributed amongst policyholders, and in conducting the branch, many thousands of pounds in excess of the sums it has received in premiums from policyholders in this country.

The Equitable has paid over to Australian and New Zealand policyholders and their representatives over a million and a half sterling, has paid to Australians in wages, commissions, salaries, and various disbursements, including contributions to the expense of the Governments of these countries, over a million sterling, and has at the moment, on a rigidly conservative basis of valuation, considerably in excess of half a million sterling invested in the Commonwealth and in New Zealand.

Mr. Carlisle Taylor is speaking of the past; we of the present. Can Mr. Taylor assure us that his society is still spending more in Australia than it is receiving from Australians in the form of premiums on policies they have taken out in his society? If he can, we shall be surprised. But whether he can or no, we are sure other American societies doing business here cannot do so.

THE PASTORAL OUTLOOK.

A month ago it looked as though the shearing would be on the whole an early one (writes Dalgety and Co., Ltd.), but the heavy rains, which have in many cases been followed by intermittent showers, have delayed shearing operations in New South Wales and Northern Victoria quite two weeks. As the Victorian, Tasmanian, and South Australian shearers are mostly men who follow on from New South Wales sheds, the shearing in those States will be delayed for want of labour. After going carefully into the matter, early in July last, we came to the conclusion that the increase would probably amount to 225,000 bales. When we found that at the early sheds the sheep were not cutting up to expectations, we went further into the matter. We sent out circular letters to leading pastoralists in the various districts of each State and New Zealand, asking them whether more sheep would be shorn by them, and in their district, than last year, also how the sheep were cutting, or likely to cut. We have received a sufficient number of replies to enable us to come to the conclusion that though there has been a satisfactory increase in the flocks, the sheep in the majority of cases are not cutting such bulky or weighty fleeces as they did last year. Even in districts such as Riverina, where the season has been all that could be desired, many growers have cut out with less wool than last year from the same number, or in some cases more sheep. In parts of Queensland the sheep have cut well, but on the whole fleeces are smaller than they were last year, and the wool is light in condition, attributable in the main to excessive rain. The same remark applies to New South Wales, Victoria, the south-east of South Australia, and Tasmania, where, as well as being a wet season, it has been a cold one. All things considered, and after conferring with the various Australasian branches of the company, we have come to the conclusion that the increase in production from Australasia over and above the clip of 1905-6, will not exceed 150,000 bales. Woolbuyers, who are now arriving here in great numbers, all report trade good in their respective centres, with no accumulation of supplies, either of the raw or manufactured article, and we are of opinion that when it is realised that the Australasian clip is not going to show such a very great increase, the market is likely to steady, and maybe recover a little of the lost ground.

LONDON FINANCIAL CABLES.

LONDON, Sept. 28.

The Bank of England reserves in notes and gold are £23,381,000, as against £24,784,000 last week, and £23,808,000 last year. The proportion of reserves to liabilities is 42.83, as against 47.56 last week, and 40.03 last year. The circulation is £29,091,000, as against £28,377,000 last week, and £29,270,000 last year.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes issued...	£51,180,000	Government securities ...	£11,018,000
		Other securities ...	7,434,000
		Gold and silver coin ...	32,731,000
	£51,180,000		£51,180,000

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' capital ...	£14,553,000	Government securities ...	£13,998,000
Public deposits ...	11,220,000	Other securities ...	35,385,000
Other deposits ...	43,167,000	Notes ...	22,989,000
Rest, seven days and other bills ...	3,848,000	Gold and silver coin ...	1,292,000
	£72,924,000		£72,924,000

MONEY MARKET.

The Bank of England rate of discount is quoted at 4 per cent., to which rate it was raised from 3½ per cent. on September 13. The open market rate of discount for best three months' bills is 3¾ per cent. higher, at 4 5-16 per cent.

CONSOLS AND AUSTRALIAN STOCKS.

Current quotations for Consols and Australian Government stocks, compared with those of last week and the corresponding week of last year, are:—

	A Year Ago.	A Week Ago.	Yesterday.	Rise or Fall.
	£	£	£	
2½ per cent. Consols	89⅞	90⅛	90⅛	Unc.
N.S.W. 4's, 1933, Jan.-July	109	108	108	Unch.
N.S.W. 3½'s, 1918, Mar.-Sept.	100	99	98	1 fall.
N.S.W. 3's, 1955, April-Oct.	90	89	89	Unch.
Vict. 4's, 1908-20, June-Dec.	104	103	103	Unch.
Vict. 3½'s, 1921-6, Jan.-July	99	100	99	1 fall.
Vict. 3's, 1929-49, Jan.-July	87½	88½	88	Unch.
Q'land 4's, 1905-24, Jan.-July	104	104	104	Unch.
S.A. 3's, 1916, Jan.-July	88½	87½	87½	Unch.
Q'land 4's, 1915-24, Jan.-July	106	105	105½	½ fall.
Q'land 3½'s, 1924-50, Jan.-July	99	98½	98	½ fall.
Q'land 3's, 1932-47, Jan.-July	87	86½	86½	Unch.
N.Z. 4's 1929, May-Nov.	110½	107½	107½	Unch.
N.Z. 3½'s, 1940, Jan.-July	99	100	100	Unch.
N.Z. 3's, 1945, April-Oct.	89	89	89	Unch.
Tas. 3½'s, 1920-40, Jan.-July	99	100	99½	½ fall.
Tas. 3's, 1920-40, Jan.-July	89	90	89	Unch.
W.A. 4's, 1915-35, May-Nov.	107	107	107	Unch.
W.A. 3½'s, 1913-53, May-Nov.	97	88	88	Unch.

COMMERCIAL.

With the exception of teas and groceries, business yesterday was again commonplace and restricted. In teas over 600 packages, chiefly Ceylons, were purchased. Two auctions are announced for next week. Considerable interest centred in new currants, which have advanced in London in five weeks from 18s 3d per cwt c.i.f.o. to 25s 6d. Last season's opening price was 16s 3d. A similar marked rise has taken place in sultanas. On the local market this week two wholesale firms bought 2500 half-cases currants to arrive by the first direct steamer. Many in the trade share the opinion that all Christmas fruits will be dearer this year than they have been for many years. Stocks of figs, dried evaporated fruits, salmon, sardines, and herrings have probably not been so low, said the head of a large distributing house yesterday, during the last 10 or 15 years as they are to-day. Oils and metals ruled quiet, but prices unchanged. Cornsacks were a shade stronger, but the lack of country inquiries is beginning to dishearten holders. The wheat market was without movement.

GREAT RISE IN METALS.

The London metal market continues upward, present prices showing a considerable advance on the high rates ruling a month ago, but compared with one and two years ago the contrast is remarkable:—

	Yesterday.	Ago.	A Year Ago.	Two Years Ago.
	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d	£ s d
Copper, spot	90 12 6	71 5 0	58 2 6	57 10 0
Tin, spot	127 10 0	147 0 0	127 10 0	127 10 0
Lead, soft foreign..	18 13 9	14 0 0	11 17 6	11 12 6
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BUTTER AND CHEESE FOR EXPORT.

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Mr. D. Fadyen, general manager New South Wales Fresh Food and Ice Co., Ltd., writes:—"Enclosed I hand you copy of letter I have just received from the Comptroller-General of Customs, Melbourne. The contents of this letter will no doubt be read with considerable interest by the public. To my mind the new regulations amount to compulsory grading of butter by the Commonwealth officials, as it will be impracticable to state the percentage of water, salt, colour, etc., on the outside of the boxes."

The letter referred to reads:—

DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND CUSTOMS.

Melbourne, Sept. 26, 1906.

Sir,—In reply to your letter of 19th inst. relative to the commerce regulations in regard to the trade description to be applied to butter exported, I have the honour to inform you that in connection with the provision requiring a statement of the name and percentage of any preservative contained in the butter, together with the percentages of casein, water, and colouring matter, the new regulations, which are about to be issued, will provide that such particulars shall be stated on the coverings of the goods, and not in a certificate, as set out in statutory rules No. 32 of 1906, from which you have quoted.

I am instructed to advise you further that the Minister has decided that instead of the exact percentages of water, etc., as the case may be,

that the butter contains "not more than" 16 per cent. of water, etc., as the case may be.

You will understand that these particulars are to be shown on the coverings of boxes, only in cases in which the exporter does not wish the butter to be "candied, certified to, and marked by an officer before export.

Your request for the appointment of your company's premises as an "appointed place" at which goods for export, in accordance with the regulations, may be inspected, is under consideration, and will be granted subject to proper terms being arranged by your State administering the commerce regulations.

I have the honour to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

(Signed) N. LOCKYER.

BREADSTUFFS.

The wheat market was stagnant. While 3s 3½d per bushel Darling Harbour was the nominal quotation, some of the millers stated that they were not prepared to give over 3s 2d. A good many inquiries came from the country asking for offers, but there was no disposition shown to sell under 3s 2½d, and numbers of holders refused to part with their stocks under 3s 3d. At a meeting of the millers' committee held yesterday, a resolution was carried to the effect that 2d per bag be deducted on purchases of new season's wheat if tendered in second-hand bags. It was intimated to the meeting that a similar decision had been come to by the wheat shippers. This resolution is being communicated to the members of the association all over the State.

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Metals.—Twenty-five cases Dolphin g. c. iron were sold at £18. Gas, in accordance with the quotation of £19 5s, and Redcliffe at £18 10s to £18 15s. Tin plates were firm, 100 boxes, not Lydbrook's, selling at 15s 3d. Several truckloads Gorman black fencing wire were despatched No. 4 at 7s 6d, and No. 6 at £8 17s 6d; while American was also selling at £8 15s and £9 8s.

Oils.—Linseed oil was steady at 3s 9½d to 3s 1d for B. and P. and S.'s, and was at 3s 2d to 3s 2½d for boiled. Second brands were quoted 1d less. Champion's white lead was strong at £29 10s. Castor oil was worth 3d to 3½d per lb. The British Imperial Oil Company, Limited, quote Silverlight kerosene 9½d, benzine 1s 2d, naphtha 1s 5d, motor car spirit 1s 5d, gasoline 1s 11d. The Colonial Oil Company quote Stonecliffe kerosene at stores Venus kerosene at 9½d, benzine at 1s 2d, motor car spirit at 1s 5d, and engine kerosene at 8d.

Jute.—The cornsack market brightened up a little yesterday, as buying orders were out at 7s 1d delivered, but no business of any consequence was noted. Country inquiries were still missing. One of the Calcutta houses cabled down, quoting 7s 1d c.i.f. for October shipment, and stating that the market was firmer, but that had no influence locally, as it was evident buyers here had plenty of orders. No business in Calcutta was practically suspended, and would be until the beginning of next week. The Eurydice has left Calcutta with 4000 bales gunnies—presumably all or the greater portion cornsacks for Wallaroo, Melbourne, and Sydney. The Fortunatus is booked to leave on Monday for Australia. The British Isles, was steaming to, on October 1st, and are the Umpta on the 5th for Rangoon, Singapore, Fremantle, Adelaide, Melbourne, and Sydney; the Sorala on the 15th for Australia, via Java; and the Dunera on the 31st for Australia, via Java. Brandburys were unchanged at 5s 4½d on spot, and at 5s 5d delivered to arrive. Woolmacks were quiet at 2s 5½d.

The Sydney Meat Preserving Company, Limited, report the following sales this week:—Local and interstate: 201 cases assorted meats, etc. For export: 508 cases preserved meats, at convention and export prices. The Customs revenue received at Sydney yesterday amounted to £10,451.

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LONDON MARKET CABLES.

LONDON, Sept. 27.

SILVER.

Bar silver is quoted to-day (Thursday) at 2s 7¾d per ounce standard, a fall of 5-16d.

METALS STILL ADVANCING.

Sept. 28.

Copper, on spot, b £90 12s 6d, s £90 17s 6d, an advance of £2 12s 6d on the week; three months, b £90 10s, s £90 15s, an advance of £2 10s per ton.

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BRADFORD TOPS.

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Sugar is firm. Eighty-eight per cent. German beet is 1d lower at 9s 9d f.o.b. Hamburg, and granulated unchanged at 11s 10d per cwt.

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Dalgety and Co., Limited, have received the following cable from their London house, under Thursday's date:—"Since our telegram of a week ago, prices for frozen beef have become firmer. There is an active demand for frozen pork at 3½d per lb."

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INTERSTATE MARKETS.

BRISBANE, Friday.

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THE TURF.

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Our Adelaide correspondent wires that the Morphettville racecourse, after the heavy rains on Wednesday night, was flooded again on Thursday morning, the water in places being two feet deep.

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Mr. W. R. Hall experienced a stroke of bad luck last week by the death of Florrie, who died foaling at Messrs. Brown's stud near Whittingham, where she was on a visit to Sir Foote, with their old stable mate, Albicore, who, a couple of days back, unluckily produced a dead foal to Sir Tristram. Florrie was a very handsome daughter of Tasman, and was bred in New Zealand by Mr. Dan. O'Brien, who brought her to Australia some years ago with her brother Launceston. Subsequently Mr. O'Brien sold Florrie to Mr. Hall, for whom she won the S.T.C. Birthday Cup. Florrie was a half-sister to the famous sprinter Machine Gun; her dam, Rubina, who won a long string of races for Mr. O'Brien in New Zealand, was by Kingsborough from Etiquette (imp.), by Caractacus, and was bred at Bylong by Mr. John Lee.

Messrs. H. Chisholm and Co. will hold their spring blood stock sale on Friday next, starting at 2.30 p.m. The catalogue to be submitted comprises racehorses in training, stallions, blood mares, and untried racing stock.

The name of the Queensland horse His Lordship has been changed to Hospodar.

The Ascot R.C. has received 94 nominations for its meeting on Thursday next.

In our business columns, Messrs. W. Inglis and Son announce particulars of the sale of blood stock they will hold at Paynter's horse market Stables, Randwick, on Monday, October 8. So far, 14 drafts of untried stock have been placed in the firm's hands, and of these Mr. James Thompson's lot comprises 14 fillies and geldings, 10 of them being by Grafton, two by Projectile, and one each by Russley and Hotchkiss. The sires represented in the other drafts are Grafton, Musketoon, Hova, Jeweller, Louis XIII., Regained, Alchamist, Positano, Sir Tristram, Skopos, Projectile, Trenchant, and Barragunda. The racehorses to be submitted are:—Dalzety, Returned, Grafton Lad, Haloya, Fair Deal, Killera, Brief, Lady Dunmore, Eureka Maid, and Grange Bud; while the stallions catalogued are Dick, Glen Alpine, and Stanmore.

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The following programme has been drawn up for the meeting at Moorefield on October 20:—Kogarah Stakes, of 60 sovs, 6f; Flying Handicap, of 70 sovs, 5f; Stewards' Mile, of 70 sovs, lowest weight 7st 7lb; Steeplechase, of 80 sovs, 2m; Moorefield Handicap, of 100 sovs, 1¼m; Rexley Handicap, of 70 sovs, lowest weight 7st, 1m. Entries close with the secretary (Mr. J. Jolly) at 4 p.m. on October 8.

AUSTRALIAN JOCKEY CLUB.

SPRING MEETING.

FIRST (DERBY) DAY.

The Spring Meeting of the Australian Jockey Club opens this afternoon on the metropolitan heath, at Randwick. Present indications point to one of the most successful reunions ever held at headquarters. The recent bounteous rainfall has clothed the racecourse reserve with verdure, the tracks were never better conditioned, and the grass stand enclosure and other reserves will be seen to the best advantage. Several improvements have been made in the paddock since the Autumn Meeting, and visitors will find their requirements anticipated in every department. And, while the premier racing institution has always looked to the attractions of the Spring carnival, horseowners have also contributed with characteristic liberality in that direction. New Zealand will be well represented on the track in all branches of the game, as will Victoria, while Queensland also contributes her quota to the great equine gathering, and in each section quality is well in evidence. A forward movement has been made by the governing body in holding the first important two-year-old race of the Australasian season at Randwick, and the popularity of the new departure is attested by the liberal support accorded by owners to young stock. The candidates for the blue ribbon of New South Wales include the best of the year, and include a couple of top-notchers—Collarit and Antonious—while New Zealand and Victorian representatives invest the battle for the classic event with widespread interest. The local Derby nucleus is also being reinforced from Victoria, while the meeting of such high-class performers as Lady Wallace, Marvel Loch, Isolt, Dividend, Porcelain and Co., in the w.f.a. event should be worth going a long distance to witness.

As usual the Tramway Department has made arrangements for an efficient service to and from the tryst ing ground, special trams running at short intervals from Circular Quay, via Oxford-street, and from the Central Railway Station, via Cleveland-street, while those who prefer to travel by road will be accommodated by 'bus and cab traffic.

The programme commences punctually at 1 p.m. with the First Hurdle Race, and, at the weights, Ryde, Probus, Hydrant, Satinvader, and Phrixus appear to have the best of the fixtures, and the judge may declare for Phrixus, who may experience most trouble from the Choice of Donovan's stable—Ryde or Satinvader—and Probus.

A very interesting battle is promised for the Trial Stakes among Go Soon, Grafton Lad, Royal Scot, Arcturus, Artful, and Contort, and judging by her performance at Rosehill last Saturday, Artful should be able to win, while the minor situations may be occupied by Arcturus and Contort.

With half a dozen acceptors for the Derby the field will be about up to the average in point of numbers, while so far as quality is concerned, it compares favourably with any of its predecessors. New Zealand will be represented by the Hotchkiss colt Huascar, who, out of four starts last season, failed to get a winning bracket, and has nothing better than medium track work to his credit for the current season. Isolaire will do battle for Victoria, and the son of Grafton, who showed a good turn of pace as a two-year-old, should give a good account of himself. This State is well represented by Collarit, Antonious, Poseidon, and Banzai, all of whom claimed the attention of the judge last season. On recent performances in public and on the training track, Collarit stands out as the best of the bunch, and if the son of Haut Brion may be escorted past the post by Antonious and Poseidon.

With 27 acceptors the field for the Epsom Handicap promises to be the largest since Air Motor won from 27 others four years ago. That good performer Famous heads the list with the complimentary burden of 9st 5lb, and though only on one occasion has more than that impost been carried to victory in the history of the race, the old son of Grafton may be trusted to run a good horse. The stable is also represented by Berthier, who should be nicely suited with 8st 8lb, and on recent performances, public and private, he must be one of the hardest to beat. Charles Stuart, who is the only Victorian representative, is another that must be invested with a first-class chance, for he is in robust health, and, if he carries the confidence of his party, must have a big say in the settlement of the important question. Little Toy may run well, and so should Lord Fitzroy; Merveil and Rosemead have each recent winning form to recommend them, and Luciana is also very fit, while Maximize and The Bairn should be about the business end of the trip. A great race seems assured, in which Famous, Charles Stuart, Berthier, Lord Fitzroy, Rosemead, Luciana, and Maximize should play the most conspicuous parts towards the close of the journey, and Berthier or Charles Stuart may gain from Lord Fitzroy and Luciana.

The contest for the Spring Stakes appears as though it will be fought out by Lady Wallace, Isolt, and Marvel Loch, who may pass the post in the order named.

The Kensington Handicap will bring the afternoon's sport to a close, and, at the weights the prospects of Lady Brockleigh, Melodrama, Steel Trust, Arlington, Kyeadgerie, and Tae Castaway appear the brightest, while the numbers may be hoisted for Kyeadgerie, Melodrama, and the Castaway.

The bill of fare is appended:—

HURDLE RACE—About 2½m.

	st lb		st lb
Ryde	11 12	Bega	9 12
Sandboy	11 10	Illawarra	9 7
Probus	11 8	Selmsie	9 5
Hydrant	11 6	Cardross	9 4
Athanasia	10 7	Trick	9 0
Satinvader	10 5	Arezzo	9 0
Oliver	10 4	Superstition	9 0
Mercury	10 0	Brownell	9 0
Phrixus	9 12		

TRIAL STAKES—1¼m.

	st lb		st lb
Togoa	8 10	Cherry Ripe	8 3
Vanadiure	8 10	Hindoo Blue	8 3
Go Soon	8 10	The Harvest	8 3
Stonesel	8 8	Benbow	7 12
Grafton Lad	8 8	The Castaway	7 12
Grafmax	8 7	Florance	7 12
Delcore	8 7	Arcturus	7 12
Alunite	8 7	Woolloomooloo	7 12
Royal Scot	8 5	Epic	7 12
Deutscher	8 5	Kirrianor	7 12
Artful	8 5	Artful	7 7
Isleford	8 3	Lady Esme	7 7
Vardo	8 3	Contort	7 7

A.J.C. DERBY.—1½m.

Mr. J. Munster's b c Antonious, *by* Sir Foote (imp.)—Antonia.

Mr. S. J. Hendrick's b c Banzai, by Grafton (imp.)—Helene.

Mr. U. R. Roberts's b or br c Poseidon, by Positano (imp.)—Jacinth.

Mr. J. H. Crick's br c Collarit, by Haut Brion (imp.)—Collarette.

Mr. G. G. Stead's ch c Huascar, by Hotchkiss—St. Elyn.

Mr. K. S. M'Leod's b c Isolaire, by Grafton (imp.)—Scotch Mary.

EPSOM HANDICAP, 1m.

	st lb		st lb
Famous	9 5	Maximize (late Magazine)	7 6
Charles Stuart	8 8	Bruce	7 4
Little Toy	8 5	Obverse	7 3
Merveil	8 1	Binnia	7 3
Refrain	7 12	The Bairn	7 0
Rosneel	7 11	Proprietor	6 12
Lord Fitzroy	7 10	Neribo	6 12
Absentee	7 10	Heiro	6 12
Savoury	7 9	Loch Lomond	6 11
Merveil	7 9	Pompous	6 10
Rosemead	7 8	Kestrel	6 10
Luciana	7 8	Ansley	6 10
Jim Dorset	7 8	Piccadilly	6 10

SPRING STAKES—1¼m.

	st lb		st lb
Emir	9 0	Noreen	9 0
Scot Free	9 0	Charles Stuart	9 0
Dividend	9 0	Isolt	8 9
Tatterdemalion	9 0	Lady Wallace	8 9
Marvel Loch	9 0	Poseidon	7 9
Porcelain	9 0		

KENSINGTON HANDICAP—7f.

	st lb		st lb
Lady Brockleigh	10 9	Showers	8 2
Belfry	9 7	Gowrie	8 2
Rosemead	9 7	The Harvest	8 2
Mutation	9 7	The Castaway	8 2
Ossian	9 7	Jute	8 0
Harvest Lad	9 5	Alunite	8 0
Melodon	9 4	Bandy	8 0
Melodrama	9 4	Yo Ban	7 13
Iolaire	9 3	Douro	7 12
Zoz	9 0	Delcore	7 10
His Lordship	9 0	Inscible	7 10
Forest Light	8 12	Florance	7 10
Savoury	8 10	Heiro	7 10
Mira	8 10	Neribo	7 10
Kilfera	8 10	Eureka Maid	7 10
Returned	8 10	Inheritor	7 8
Rydalmere	8 10	The Intended	7 7
Steel Trust	8 8	Hanaeva	7 7
Combine	8 6	Westmead	7 7
Vanlock	8 6	Cowley	7 7
Passion	8 6	Lady Esme	7 7
Arlington	8 4	Woodlander	7 7
Dantzic	8 4	Margarite	7 7
Kyeadgerie	8 3		

THE BETTING MARKET.

Business was quiet, comparatively speaking, on the Epsom Handicap yesterday. For years past it has been customary on the eve of the big races to read the card in the two leading sporting clubs, but on this occasion the managing committees decided not to do so. The most noteworthy incident of the day was the support accorded to Charles Stuart, who was apparently backed by the Victorian party to win £2000 at 10 to 1. This caused the son of Wallace to harden to 8 to 1, which backers accepted to the extent of about £1500. This had the effect of causing Berthier to ease a bit, but his supporters readily availed themselves of the opportunity presented, and he firmed to his original quotation. The closing prices on offer were:—4 to 1 v Berthier, 7 to 1 v Charles Stuart, 8 to 1 v Maximize, 14 to 1 each v Merveil and Pompous, 16 to 1 each v Famous and Lucians, 20 to 1 each v Jim Dorset and The Bairn, 25 to 1 each v Donalla, Refrain, Lord Fitzroy, Savoury, and Rosemead, from 33 to 1 v others.

There was nothing done on the Metropolitan, Solution being a firm favourite at 3 to 1, the previous day's quotations being unaltered.

For the Derby Collarit shortened to 5 to 4, 2 to 1 was on offer against Antonious, 5 to 1 v Poseidon, 6 to 1 v Huascar, and 10 to 1 each v Isolaire and Banzai.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Betting was very quiet in Melbourne today. The only wager of note recorded over the Epsom Handicap was £450 to £50 Charles Stuart. Collarit was a firmer favourite for the A.J.C. Derby, the best price on offer against him being even money.

VICTORIAN SPORTING NOTES.

MELBOURNE, Friday.

Little John has been scratched for the Toorak Handicap, and Zoe for the Caulfield Cup.

Hina cut that P.M.G. did not go to Sydney after all, his owner changing his mind at the last moment.

ROSEBERY PARK RACES.

The weekly pony and galloway meeting was held at Rosebery Park yesterday, and was well attended. Results:—

Fourteen-three Handicap, 4f.—Harkaway, 7st 4lb (Fletcher), 1; First Aid, 7st 2lb, incl 3lb over (Norris), 2; Yelucam, 7st 11½lb, incl. 1½lb over (Smith), 3. Other starters: Trophy, Betting: 5 to 4 v First Aid, 2 to 1 each v Yelucam and Harkaway, 10 to 1 v Corrie. Won by a neck. Time, 50⅘s.

Fourteen-one Handicap, *M* 30yds.—Ayr Lassie, 8st (H. Somers), 1; Trophy, 7st 7lb (H. Somers), 2; Clare, 8st 12lb (Wagner), 3. Other starters: Trophy, The Shanty Belle. Betting: 5 to 4 on Clare, 6 to 2 against on Ayr Lassie, 4 to 1 v Fairy, 5 to 1 v My Fancy, 10 to 1 v Ayr Lassie, and 100 to 1 v Trophy. Won by half a length. Time, 1m 6⅘s.

Maiden Handicap, 4f.—The Rush, 8st (H. Somers), 1; Wonga, 8st 10lb (Fletcher), 2; Rosewood, 7st 11lb (Wagner), 3. Other starters: Regalia, Aspiration, Acone, Cambrian, Queen, King Edward, Memo. Betting: 3 to 1 each v Regalia and The Rush, 4 to 1 each v Wonga and Rosewood, 6 to 1 each v Aspiration, Acone and Memo, 10 to 1 v others. Won by half a length. Time, 52⅘s.

Thirteen-three Handicap, 4f.—Winifred, 8st 9lb (Fletcher), 1; Silver Grace, 7st 13lb (Dow), 2; Melford, 8st 5lb (Wagner), 3. Other starters: Cromulla, Sir William, Blarney Belle, Dreadnought. Betting: Even money on Winifred, 2 to 1 v Blarney Belle, 4 to 1 v Melford, 10 to 1 v others. Won by a length. Time, 53⅘s.

Fourteen-two Handicap, *M* 30yds.—The Novice, 7st 3lb, incl. 3lb over (West), 1; Lady Griffila, 7st 4lb (Norris), 2; Lady Dunmore, 8st 2lb (Dow), 3; Melford, 8st 12lb (Wagner), 4. Other starters: Maggie Trent, Reform, Pearl Beauty. Betting: 5 to 4 v Maggie Trent, 4 to 1 each v Lady Grivilla and Reform, 6 to 1 v Lulu H., 8 to 1 v Melford, 10 to 1 v Pearl Beauty, and 20 to 1 v The Novice. Won by two lengths. Time, 1m 7s.

Rosebery Park Handicap, 6f.—Unseen, 7st 12lb (Fletcher), 1; Abundance, 7st 12lb (H. Smith), 2; Corree, 8st 11lb (Wagner), 3. Other starters: Kelpie, Barb, Terrible, Princess May. Betting: 2 to 1 each v Unseen and The Dealer, 6 to 1 v Abundance, 10 to 1 v others. Won by two lengths. Time, 1m 20⅘s.

WANGANUI GUINEAS.

WELLINGTON (N.Z.), Thursday.

At the Wanganui Jockey Club's meeting to-day, the principal event resulted as follow:—

Wanganui Guineas, 1m.—Ito, by Birkenhead—Trentalto, 1; Frisco, 2; Volume, 3. Time, 1m 44 1-5s. Dividend, £7 6s and 17s.

GOLF.

The engagements for to-day and Monday are:—

Australasian G.C.—The associate members will play a 36-holes bogey competition for the Governor-General's trophy on Monday, October 1, commencing at 10 o'clock. Entries close to-day. The draw for partners will be published on Monday morning.

Royal Sydney G.C.—Monday, two-round bogey competition for trophies presented by the medical profession.

Hunter's Hill G.C.—To-day, stroke competition. Monday, 36-holes bogey competition for president's trophy.

Marrickville G.C.—To-day, monthly medal and dinner. Monday, Choice score of four rounds of nine holes for trophy presented by Dr. Gordon Craig; also final club championship. Dr. Gordon Craig v P. R. Russell.

Dobroyde G.C.—To-day, monthly medal competition; also associate members' competition for president's trophy. Monday, 36-hole bogey competition for Mr. Wm. Beard's trophy.

Concord G.C.—To-day, medal competition. Monday, best card handicap bogey competition, all day.

Strathfield G.C.—To-day, mixed foursomes. Monday, bogey competition.

Killara G.C.—To-day, silver putter competition. Monday, fifty challenge cup, 36 holes, bogey morning and afternoon rounds.

UNIVERSITY G.C.

Championship Semi-finals.

The results in the semi-finals were as follows:—

F. Blackstaid beat H. W. Wolstenholme, 6 up and 4 to play.

W. A. Windeyer beat E. M. Stephen, 2 up.

The final will be played next Thursday.

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BOWLS.

TO-DAY'S MATCHES.

The following interclub matches will be played this afternoon:—

Chatswood, four rinks at Victoria Park.

Ashfield, three rinks at Burwood.

Waverley, four rinks at Chatswood.

Petersham, four rinks at Waverley.

Victoria Park, three rinks at Burwood.

Balmain, three rinks at Mosman.

North Sydney, four rinks at Manly.

Redfern, four rinks at Hunter's Hill.

Randwick, four rinks at North Sydney.

St. George, three rinks at Annandale.

VISIT OF NEW ZEALAND BOWLERS.

The secretary of the New South Wales Bowling Association has received information outlining the movements of the team of bowlers from New Zealand who are to tour Australia during next month. In all there will be 33 visiting players, but as a number of them will be accompanied by wife or daughter the party will total about 60. The contingent from Auckland will arrive here about October 5, but the main body from Wellington will not reach Sydney before October 10. The whole party will immediately go on to Brisbane, where they will play one interstate match and several interclub contests. It is the intention of the team to play only one interstate match (eight rinks) in each State, and then to play a number of four-rink interclub games. After finishing up in Brisbane the visitors will return to Sydney to fulfil engagements, and possibly Newcastle will afterwards be visited. Then the team will go to Victoria, afterwards to South Australia, and on to Tasmania, where the tour will finish. The matter of arranging details in connection with the visit to New South Wales has been left in the hands of the newly-elected selection committee. Mr. Lethbridge, who is regarded as the father of bowls in New Zealand, and who has just been on a tour to England, is now in Sydney with some members of his family, and will remain here until the arrival of the team. In the meantime Mr. Lethbridge will complete arrangements for the accommodation, etc, of the visitors.

PROPOSED TEAM FROM SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

The committee of the New South Wales Bowling Association has decided to forward an invitation to the Bowling Association of South Australia to send a representative team over here about Christmas time to play a number of interstate and other matches.

NEW SOUTH WALES BOWLING ASSOCIATION.

PENNANT AND SELECTION COMMITTEES.

The first meeting of delegates from the various clubs of the New South Wales Bowling Association was held this week, when the pennant and selection committees were appointed as follows:—

Pennant committee: Messrs. A. Louden (St. George), F. A. Morgan (Petersham), A. Chandler (Waverley), M. Moran (City), and T. H. Dearin (Redfern).

Selection committee: Messrs. H. C. Evans (Waverley), F. A. Morgan (Petersham), A. Louden (St. George), C. Batson (Victoria Park), and J. Harrison (Ashfield).

CRICKET.

Several of the grade clubs are playing trial matches to-day preparatory to getting together their best side for the opening of the competition this week. Up to the present, though in some grounds left last night for Maitland, where they will be opposed by an eleven from the Northern Association.

SOUTHERN DISTRICTS TOUR.

Four teams, representing South Coast and Southern District, will begin a series of matches in Sydney on Monday. A programme of interesting fixtures has been arranged by Mr. J. Sharp, though in some grounds have not yet been secured. The following is the list of matches:—

October 1, Petersham District C.C., Petersham Oval, 11 a.m.

October 1, Redfern District C.C., Redfern Oval, 11 a.m.

October 1, Wesley C.C., Waterloo Oval, 11 a.m.

October 2 (two matches), Southern District, Domain, both wickets, 10 a.m.

October 3, New South Wales Cricket Association, second-grade team, Sydney Cricket Ground, 2 p.m.

October 4, Technical College, Petersham Oval, 1 p.m.

October 4, Wholesale Produce Merchants, Wentworth Park, 2 p.m.

October 4, Fort-street Model School, Leichhardt Oval, 1 p.m.

October 5, University C.C., 2 p.m.

October 5, Petersham, eastern wicket, Domain, 2 p.m.

October 6, Abergelde C.C., Summer Hill, 2 p.m.

October 8, Petersham Superior Public School, Petersham Oval, 1 p.m.

October 9, Training College, 2 p.m.

October 9, Combined Tramway, Leichhardt Oval, 2 p.m.

October 10, New South Wales Cricket Association, first-grade team, Sydney Cricket Ground, 11 a.m.

October 11, City and Suburban Association, 11.30 a.m.

October 11, Combined Tramway, Leichhardt Oval, 2 p.m.

October 12, Submarine Miners, Victoria Barracks, 2 p.m.

October 12, Cleveland-street Superior Public School, 1.30 p.m.

October 13, Abergelde, Summer Hill, 2 p.m.

I. ZINGARI C.C. v SYDNEY.

The I. Zingari team got together by Mr. Arthur Macarthur to play the opening match of the season against the Sydney C.C. to-day, at Rushcutter Bay Ground. The match was originally fixed for last Saturday, but was postponed on account of the wet state of the ground. The I. Zingari team is composed of:—Messrs. H. Foster, Goddard (Redfern), Mackay (Burwood), and C. H. Ross. Mulligan, a promising left-hand bowler, and Jones, a wicket-keeper, are being tried. They come from the Juniors.

CYCLING AND MOTORING.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Rookwood Club (association).—14 miles open road race over the Rookwood course.

New South Wales Cyclists' Union.—Half-mile track race and tandem race at the Sydney Sports Ground.

Newtown Bicycle Club.—Two-days' tour.

Suburban Club.—Run to Yarra Bay.

Annandale Cycling Club.—Run to the Sports Ground.

Pyrmont Club.—Run to witness the Cyclists' Union races at the new cycling track.

Western Suburbs.—Run to see the amateur track races.

Columbia Cycle Club.—Two-days' tour to the Blue Mountains.

Burwood Bicycle Club.—Run to the Sports Ground.

Petersham Club.—Run to Moore Park to see the track races.

Northern Suburbs Club.—Three-days' tour to Moss Vale, Bowral, and Mittagong.

Eveleigh Cycling Club.—Run to the cycling sports.

Balmain Bicycle Club.—Run to the new sports ground.

Surrey Club.—Run to witness the amateur sports.

Redfern Club.—Run to Moore Park to see the Cyclists' Union sports.

Australian Bicycle Club.—Run to Tom Ugly's.

Swift Cycling Club.—Run to the new sports ground.

Marrickville Club.—Run to see the cycling sports.

Waringa Club.—Run to Gosford.

Sydney Bicycle Club.—Two-days' tour to the Oaks.

Pioneer Motor Cycle Club.—Impromptu run.

CYCLISTS' UNION RACES.

The first race for amateur riders on Eight-hour Day will start about 11.45 a.m. The event will be a half-mile contest, and will be run in six heats. The second race will be a ¼-mile event and will be decided in five heats, the first of which will be run off at 2.45 p.m.

With regard to this afternoon's programme at the new sports ground, a half-mile handicap and some test races, the football match has fallen through, and that item will start at 2 p.m., and not at 2.30 p.m., as originally arranged.

The entries for the Newtown Rovers' 10-mile open road race will close on Saturday. The race, which will be run for amateur riders, will be run over the Homebush course, starting and finishing at the Horse and Jockey Hotel.

PIONEER MOTOR CYCLE CLUB.

In connection with the ½ miles motor-cycle race announced to take place at the Sydney Cricket Ground on the 8th proximo under the auspices of the Eight-hour sports meeting, the club has already obtained close on 20 entries. The latest entry for the race is that of Mr. Angus Ferguson, who has been allotted 220yds. He will drive a 3-h.p. single-cylinder motor. Competitors have undergone daily trials on the track. It is reported that Witham on his 5-h.p. Rudge and Bowden on his 4-h.p. Antoine, have done remarkable times for a mile against the watch.

CAMDEN SPORTS.

The following are the handicaps for the one mile cycling contest which will be decided at the Camden sports on to-morrow (Monday):—Scratch, A. Pinkerton, W. Salter, J. Calloway, 50yds; J. Pinkerton, 60yds; E. G. Robinson, 70yds; Burbidge, Hyde, P. H. Henry, A. F. Ferris, E. S. Harris, 100yds; P. J. Bird, D. Murray, Cavanagh, Shaw, G. Denning, 130yds; A. Hilltop, Cameron, 135yds; Bird, Hyde, Sands, 150yds; J. R. Poole, 150yds; A. Sharpe, B. Benson, C. Peet, A. M. Brennan, A. Poole, 160yds; F. Presgrave, H. Fletcher, S. Duck, 185yds; Hyde, Richards, Duck, E. Armstrong, E. M'Kevin, 175yds; G. Crandfield, A. Marmond, R. Langbridge, F. M'Mansfield, W. Calloway, H. Smith, A. Butcher, 200yds; Richards, Hyde, W. Hall, Richards, S. Heyman, H. S. Williams, G. Nesbitt, A. E. Devlin, 200yds; M. Sallow, S. Porter, R. Cranfield, 220yds; L. Funnell, F. E. Wheeler, 240yds.

SWIMMING.

SYDNEY LADIES' CLUB.

At the fourth annual meeting of the Sydney Ladies' Swimming Club, Miss Rose Scott presiding, the annual report submitted showed a satisfactory state of things, the membership having largely increased last season, and the balance-sheet showed a credit balance of £6 10s 7d. The club decided to affiliate with the National Council of Women. The following office-bearers were elected:—Patroness, Miss Rawson; president, Miss Rose Scott; vice-presidents, Mesdames Sparks, R. E. Roth, Alfred Lee, C. Spinks, R. Hall, Bentley, Grubb, Spinks, Nesbitt, and Dr. Grace Boolin; committee, Misses Mackenzie, Vickers, Crichton, M'Lean, Hills, Sparks, Watson, Thwaites; hon. treasurer, Miss M. Patterson; hon. handicapper, Mrs. Bentley; hon. secretary, Miss V. Christmas.

THE GUN.

NEW SOUTH WALES CHAMPIONSHIP.

WON BY E. PICKERING.

The match for the championship of New South Wales was shot off at the grounds of the New South Wales Gun Club, Botany, yesterday. There was a good attendance of shooters and the public. The weather was sunny and calm, conditions which favoured the gun. The winner was Mr. E. Pickering, who secured the title after a tie at 21 birds with Mr. L. N. Walford. The conditions were 21 birds, three misses out, 30yds rise, and a sweepstake of £5. The shooters above mentioned, when they had accounted for all their birds, agreed to divide the sweepstakes and shoot on for the title and the gold medal presented by the club. In the shoot-off Pickering hit with the first barrel slightly, and his bird would have probably got away had not the new champion sent along his second barrel. Walford was beaten by a fast one, and Pickering thus secured the championship. "Locksley" and Mr. C. Massey tied for third place with 20 kills. The former failed to repeat his 19th, and Massey his second. After his early mistake Massey shot in capital form. Messrs. E. F. Macarthur and J. W. Taylor each accounted for 19. The other scores were:—Messrs. J. Carman 17, "Homebow" 17, "Comlene" 17, C. J. Britten 17, "Peksum" 15, H. Baxter 14, "Rex" 13, D. Fraser 12, J. Clark 11, H. C. Carter 9, C. J. Mitchell 7, M. Crowthorne 6, H. Garratt 6, "Pronsewing" 6, A. D. Menzies 5, J. E. Moyniln 4, P. Mason 2, W. J. Miller 2, Josiah Clarke 1, and H. M. Faithfull 1.

BILLIARDS.

MARKERS' CONSOLATION TOURNAMENT.

The above was continued at Heiron and Smith's Billiard Parlour, 714 Castlereagh-street, 4 last night, when A. Thompson (rec. 200) beat F. Smith, jun. (rec. 100) by 39. They played an interesting game, Smith keeping well up with the winner till the end. Thompson made breaks of 21 and 36; Smith made only one 20 break. In the second game, E. James (scr) beat W. Parker (scr) by 110. James played in consistent form throughout, and made breaks of 52, 37, 50, 32, 29, 30, 26, 37, 54, 35, 39, and 22. Parker played fairly well, his breaks being 21, 30, 23, 74, 22, 32, 35, 52, and 27.

The games for Tuesday afternoon are:—F. Smith, jun. (rec. 100) v "Orient" (rec. 120); and on Tuesday evening A. J. Smith (rec. 200) v A. Thompson (rec. 200), E. James (scr) v "Alwood" (rec. 100).

TAREE RAILWAY LEAGUE.

PETITION TO THE PREMIER.

TAREE, Friday.

At a meeting of the Railway League last evening, presided over by the Mayor, Alderman J. H. Stewart, it was decided to send copies of the following petition for signature to 66 centres of the Gloucester electorate for presentation ultimately to the Premier:—

To the Honourable the Premier of New South Wales.—We, the undersigned residents of Gloucester electorate, desire respectfully to invite your attention to the urgent necessity for speedy construction of the North Coast railway. The very great additional settlement and development along the proposed route of the railway during the past few years, largely in anticipation of the construction of the line, and in the majority of instances a long distance from water carriage, justifies us in asking for your favourable consideration of the matter. We also desire to bring under your notice the large increase of products and stock and the limited means available of getting the same to market. We further feel sure that much of the Crown lands available along the North Coast would be eagerly sought after should the railway be constructed. We humbly request that the matter be brought forward during the present session of Parliament. Your petitioners in duty bound, etc.

FRUIT FLY PARASITES.

PERTH (W.A.), Friday.

The R.M.S. Orient, which arrived from Colombo yesterday morning, brought a packet of fruit fly parasites from Mr. George Compere. Mr. Compere has sent half a dozen species of parasites, and in a private letter he expresses the hope that they would be safely established here, as he had no desire to get back to that part of India where the parasites come from. He described the conditions of the country, owing to the plague, as being awful. Men were dropping dead all round him, and he declared he had to wash himself with kerosene to keep off the vermin which infest humanity in that part of India.

THE STORY OF SAMUEL BARTLETT.

OF THE PRETTY LITTLE TOWN OF RYDE, ISLE OF WIGHT, AS TOLD TO A PORTSMOUTH TIMES REPORTER.

AN ACCOUNT OF HIS GREAT SUFFERING, HIS SPEEDY CURE, AND HIS GRATITUDE TOWARDS CUTICURA.

(From the Portsmouth Times.)

In the pretty little town of Ryde, Isle of Wight, a Portsmouth Times reporter found an individual in a most grateful frame of mind towards the manufacturers of Cuticura Remedies, and his prayer was that the Almighty would bless and preserve them for he was sure that there were thousands who needed the same relief that these Remedies had afforded him and his family. The gentleman was Mr. Samuel Bartlett, of 3 Albert-place, Warwick-street, Ryde and the story he told was most entertaining.

"My little girl Elsie, age seven," he said, "had the measles, and when they left her, her eyes were affected. For six months, on and off, she was treated at the Infirmary, but no improvement was apparent. Her eyes used to burn and the lashes fell out, and we were afraid she would lose her sight, and it was painful to hear her complaining. In December last, I was reading in the paper of a wonderful cure by Cuticura Ointment in a similar case, and applied for a box. In four days the child was greatly relieved, and less than one box of Cuticura Ointment sufficed to cure her. Her eyes are now as clear as a lake and her lashes have grown fast. The she is," said Mr. Bartlett with pride, and a bonny little 'lass entered the room, and her eyes certainly looked perfect.

"I have given other people some of the Cuticura Ointment for their eyes, and they speak in loud praise of it," continued Mr. Bartlett. "A little girl, who lives in Warwick-street had her eyes affected and took to glasses. On my recommendation she used Cuticura Ointment, and has now dispensed with the glasses. I can assure you that the Cuticura Remedies will cure all they claim they will. My son Harry received a nasty cut from a bill hook, but Cuticura Ointment healed the wound splendidly. Another son's boy had a bad sore, and Cuticura Ointment also cured this. Neighbours say the Ointment is a boon to children."

"To come to myself," went on Mr. Bartlett, "about twelve months ago last Christmas I was taken with itching on the limbs; the more I rubbed, the worse the irritation got. I wrote to a doctor and he gave me a lotion to bathe with, but this did me no good. The eruption spread over my whole body and I was an out-patient at the Hospital for about three weeks and then went in. After a short time I was removed to a Home of Rest at Newport, and felt I was doomed to die. I was full of sores from the top of my head down to my toes. Finally, I came a blob, and when it broke it left a sore. One morning sixty-two large blebs were out on one of my legs. The bandaging work was agony to me, and I could not stir, whilst my finger and toe nails came off. Olive oil and various kinds of ointments were used on me, but I got better, somewhat. I pleaded hard to the doctor to let me come home, but he refused to give me my discharge as the calves of my legs were not healed. However, I left, and travelled seven miles home.

"Subsequently, I received the Cuticura Ointment, I basted my legs with it with a feather, and in a week they were healed. Large blotches were left, and they irritated a bit. However, I then took to washing my legs with Cuticura Soap, and the blotches disappeared. I had no pain or return of the disease since, and twenty years old this coming October, and this is my first illness or affection. I feel confident that, but for Cuticura, I should still be suffering. As it is, I am in capital health and start haymaking on Monday.

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OAK CASE CONTAINING COMPLETE SET KING'S PATTERN TABLE PLATE and CUTLERY, from Mappin and Webb, London.

SET VERY VALUABLE ARTIST'S PROOF ENGRAVINGS by S. P. FRITH, "THE RACE FOR WEALTH," Originals of which are in the National Gallery.

SIGNED ARTIST PROOF BY GUSTAVE DORE, "CHRIST LEAVING THE PRAETORIUM."
PAIR VERY FINE OIL PAINTINGS by J. C. Hooper—English Landscapes.
SEVERAL BEAUTIFUL WATER-COLOUR DRAWINGS.

SUPERIOR WALNUT ENCLOSED SIDEBOARD and DINING TABLE, by Waliker and Sons, Bunhill.
DOUBLE PEDESTAL BEDROOM SUITE in American Walnut, English make.

SOLID WALNUT ENCLOSED BOOKCASE.

BRASS-MOUNTED STATE BEDSTEAD,

SWEET-TONED ITALIAN WALNUT PIANO, by the well-known makers, Collard and Collard.
TWO COTTAGE UPRIGHT PIANOS, suitable for small rooms.

And a Quantity of
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

DOUBLE-DOOR IRON SAFE by Phillips and Sons.

QUANTITY OF BOOKS, including
BELL'S WEEKLY MESSENGER, from 1831.
ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS, from 1850.

CHAMBERS' ENCYCLOPAEDIA.

ETCHINGS BY JOHN LEECH.

WALTER BRADLEY AND CO. will conduct the above sale at their commodious Auction Rooms, 324 George-street, on TUESDAY, 2nd OCTOBER, at 11 a.m.

ON VIEW THIS MORNING UP TO 1 P.M.

THE SALE OF THE YEAR.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.

DEMOLITION OF THE GIGANTIC BUILDINGS, THE CYCLORAMA,

together with the Whole Suite of Offices and Hall of Illusions.

THESE MAGNIFICENT BUILDINGS ARE BEING NOW DEMOLISHED, and will be sold by
PUBLIC AUCTION
TUESDAY NEXT, OCT. 2nd, at 11 A.M.,
comprise and comprises

1500 Sheets of Splendid Galv. Iron, 6 to 10 feets.
3000 Bangor Slates, 18 x 10, equal new.
£27 30,000ft Oregon, in lengths up to 60 feets, 16 x 12, 12 x 12, 14 x 6, 12 x 3, 10 x 3, 8 x 2½, 6 x 3, 5 x 3, 4 x 3, 4 x 2.
6000 feet 6 x 3 Hardwood Joists.
12 Wrought Oregon Principals, 35ft Span.
800 feet Mill-rolled Lead, large sheets.
7000 feet H'wood and Kauri Pine Flooring.
3000 feet Lining Boards and Partitions.
French Polished Walnut Sliding, Magnificent Entrance Door, with Sidelights, in Lead Light of Special Design.
Panel Doors and Jambs, 7 x 2 x 2in, with Jamb and Panlights, all polished.
Box Frames and Lashes, Circular and Square Heads, complete.
Large pairs of Panel Doors.
Encaustic Tiles, Slate Steps, Stairs, Outside Lamps, Arc Lights, Water and Gas Piping, and Sundries, etc.
MAGNIFICENT UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, THE MANON, full iron frame, trichord, overstrung, brilliant tone and touch, in Walnut Case.
American Organ, by the renowned makers, Clough and Warren.
Sundry Furniture, etc.
£27 The Piano and Organ will be sold at 11 a.m. sharp.

BARNETT,

A. has received instructions from the Contractor and the Manager to sell as above,

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IMPORTANT SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS,
BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
WEDNESDAY NEXT, AT 11 O'CLOCK,
ON THE SITE.
DEMOLITION OF 4 HOUSES, KIPPAX-STREET, NEAR ELIZABETH-STREET, SURRY HILLS, opposite NEW RAILWAY STATION,
comprising
8 HANDSOME BAR WINDOWS and COUNTERS.
200 SHEETS OF GALV. IRON, 6 to 10 feets.
90 feet Freestone Verandah Nosing, 5 inch.
180 feet Picket Fencing, with Gates, complete.
2000 feet H'wood Joists, 6 x 2½, 6 x 2in.
3500 feet H'wood Rafters, 4 x 2½, Battens, 3 x 1.
2500 feet H. W. and Kauri Flooring, tip-top lot.
2000 feet grand Lining and Partition Boards.
30 Box Frames and Sashes, complete.
25 Panel and Half-glass Doors, Ledge Doors.
Register Grates and Mantels, Skirting and Architraves.
Water and Gas Piping, 4 W. Cisterns and Pipes, complete, and hosts of sundries.

BARNETT,

A. has received instructions to sell as above, WITHOUT RESERVE,

AT OUR SALEROOMS,
18 BRIDGE-STREET,
on
FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, 1906, AT 2.30 P.M.,
under instructions from
Messrs. GIBBS, BRIGHT, and CO.,
ABOUT 600 PACKAGES CEYLON TEA
(ex Ormus, Mongolia, Gera, etc.),
and
46 PACKAGES CHINA TEA and SUNDRIES
(Balances of Stock)
(on account of a Firm relinquishing Business).

H. W. CAREY AND CO.,
TEA BROKERS and AUCTIONEERS,
Queensland Offices, 18 Bridge-street, Sydney.
N.B.—Samples, etc., on show, and Catalogues at our Salerooms, as above.

CALL for a Pamphlet of THIRROUL PARK, for Sale on 8-HOUR DAY. Special train. Return Tickets 2s each, obtainable only from
KING and HUMPHERY, 129 Pitt-street.

A FAMOUS AGRICULTURAL AND FATTENING PROPERTY.

ON THE HUNTER RIVER.

By Order of the Trustees.

WINCHCOMBE, CARSON, and CO., Limited (in conjunction with Messrs. HENRY YORK and SONS, of Singleton), will sell by public auction, GLENBRIDDING ESTATE,
1490 Acres,
adjoining the town of Singleton, and having one mile frontage to the Hunter River.

The Sale will be held at the PERCY HOTEL, SINGLETON, on
TUESDAY, 16th OCTOBER, at 12 o'clock noon.
TITLE, TORRENS.

Messrs. H. York and Sons will drive intending buyers out to inspect.

WINCHCOMBE, CARSON, and CO., Ltd.
H. YORK and SONS, Singleton.

IN THE MATTER OF
THE PHOENIX COPPER MINES, Limited.

IN LIQUIDATION.

FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION.

UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR.

THE PHOENIX COPPER MINE,

WISEMAN'S CREEK,
situate 13 miles from Wombool Station, Western line.

THE PROPERTY consists of 2 mineral leases of 40 acres each. The mine has been worked for some years, and upon the leases 5 shafts have been sunk. Number 1 shaft is about 195ft deep, and shows good sulphide ore.

ON THE LEASES are Blacksmith's Shop, a reverberatory furnace, a quantity of mining and blacksmith's tools, mine stores, about 30 tons of Calcined Ore, and stabling, sheds, etc.

Full particulars can be obtained at the Offices of the Official Liquidator, 182 Phillip-street; also Inventory of Plant, Buildings, Tools, Stores, etc, can be inspected, also Assays and account sales of Matte sold.

Intending Purchasers will be able to inspect the mine from Saturday, September 22nd, to October 1st. Orders to inspect obtainable on application.

C. F. W. LLOYD, in conjunction with RAINE and HORNE, will sell the above, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on TUESDAY, October 2, at 11.30.
TERMS, CASH.
Offices: 182 Phillip-street.

ASHFIELD.

IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
on
WEDNESDAY NEXT, 3RD OCT.,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M.
Under instructions from
GEORGE H. KNIBBS, Esq.,
in consequence of his departure from the State,
at his Residence,
SPOTTISWOODE, BLAND-STREET, ASHFIELD.
The Whole of his
MODERN HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,
RONISCH PIANOFORTE, AND EFFECTS,
including:—
GLASS and CHINA TABLE APPOINTMENTS.
AXMINSTER and BRUSSELS CARPET SQUARES.
BRUSSELS STAIR CARPET, SUPERIOR LINOLEUM.

DINING TABLE, 9ft x 4ft, with Patent Screw and Spare Leaves.
FINE OLD MAHOGANY SIDEBOARD.
HIGH-BACK OAK DINING CHAIRS.
COMMODIOUS BOOKCASE, in Polished Pine, 4ft.
WALNUT OVERMANTEL, COUCH, EASY CHAIRS.

SUPERIOR BEDROOM FURNITURE,
including:—
SEVERAL BEDROOM SUITES, in Walnut Finish and Polished Pine, of Superior Manufacture.
WARDROBES, CHESTS DRAWERS, WASHSTANDS, TOILET SETS.

BRASS-MOUNTED HALF-TESTER BEDSTEADS, Double and Single, with Superior Bedding, complete.

VALUABLE RONISCH PIANOFORTE, FULL UPRIGHT GRAND, in handsome WALNUT CASE.

£27 An instrument possessing all the EXCELLENT QUALITIES of tone and touch for which the RONISCH PIANOFORTE is so FAMOUS.

DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS.
Overmantel, Pictures, Ornaments, Window Curtains, HANDSOMELY UPHOLSTERED SETTEE and EASY CHAIRS.
GOSSIP and OCCL. CHAIRS, PALM STANDS, TABLES.
REFRIGERATOR, ICE CHEST, nearly new, perfect order.
CABINET SEWING MACHINE, by DAVIS.
FIRST-CLASS TENT, with 2 Flys, 21ft x 16ft.
KITCHEN FURNITURE, COOKING and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, GARDEN TOOLS, etc., etc., etc.

£27 ON VIEW TUESDAY NEXT from 2 to 5 p.m.

ABSOLUTELY NO RESERVE.

MESSRS. H. AND A. LAWSON,
AUCTIONEERS,
12 P.O.-CHAMBERS, 114A PITT-ST.
in conjunction with
Messrs. WOODBRIDGE and HIGGS,
Estate Agents, ASHFIELD.

AUCTIONEERS' TELEPHONE, 1367.

WEDNESDAY 3rd OCTOBER,
AT THE CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
at 11.30 a.m.

Ex NIKKO MARU.
4 Cases JAPANESE LACQUER WARE.
2 Bales GREASE PROOF PAPER, 30 x 20, each 35 Reams.

20 Cases ASSORTED MEATS.
200 Casks WHITING.
140 Kegs FULLER'S EARTH.

60 Dozen LIMEJUICE and GLYCERINE.
60 Dozen BAY RUM
(Sprinkle Top).
WITH ALL FAULTS.
50 Cases MACONOCHIE'S FRESH HERRINGS.
30 Cases MACONOCHIE'S KIPPERED HERRINGS.

15 Dozen DIA ELECTRIC INSULATING TAPE.

15 Cases SOUTHAM'S PICKLES.
Ex WILLESDEN.
5 WINCHESTER RIFLES,
Also,
Quantity SHAFTING, PULLEY WHEELS, HOISTING GEAR, PLUMBER BLOCKS, WINCH, DRUMS, etc.

FRASER, UTHER, and CO., Ltd., have received instructions to sell by auction the above.

THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER,
AT THE
CITY MART, 8 SPRING-STREET,
AT 12 NOON SHARP.

Under instructions from the Importers,
MESSRS. PARBURY, HENTY, AND CO.

580 PACKAGES CEYLON TEAS.

FRASER, UTHER, AND CO., LTD., have received instructions to sell by auction the above.

In the Supreme Court of New South Wales.
Sheriff's Office, Sydney,
28th September, 1906.

HEYDON and ANOTHER v LILLIS, BRIDGET.

ON WEDNESDAY, the third day of October, 1906, at noon, unless the writ of fieri facias herein be previously satisfied, the Sheriff will cause to be sold by public auction, at 19 Kellick-street, Waterloo,
Household Furniture and Effects, Piano, etc.
Terms, Cash.
C. E. B. MAYBURY,
Sheriff.
MARINSON and PLUNKETT, Plaintiffs' Attorneys, Sydney.

REMEMBER the THIRROUL PARK LAND SALE on 8-HOUR DAY. Special train to the Grounds. Return Tickets 2s.

YOUR PROGRAMME FOR MONDAY.

SEE THE PROCESSION,

THEN ATTEND RICKARD'S GREAT AUCTION SALE,

NARRABEEN LAKES ESTATE, NARRABEEN,

£27 The only Water Frontage Lots for Sale at Lovely Narrabeen, on 8-Hour Day.

This fine Estate has been subdivided into lots of AMPLE SIZE, the Land is WELL SHELTERED—FREE FROM ROCKS and SWAMPS.

It will stand investigation and severest truthful criticism. We confidently invite inspection and comparison—and leave it to the public to decide which is the best Land at Narrabeen, and which land has the biggest prospective value.

Once seen, always appreciated. It is within the 1s limit of the Motor 'Bus and Coach Service, not far removed from civilisation and conveniences, and the grand Ocean Beaches and Picturesque Lakes.

Acknowledged by all disinterested people who know the district to be the finest Land in Narrabeen.

You will fix the prices. We have fixed the terms from only £1 deposit, and 10s monthly. Torrens Title. TORRENS TITLE.

INSPECTION ENSURES SELECTION.

A GRAND DAY'S OUTING ON MONDAY FOR
2s. 2s. 2s. 2s. 2s. 2s.

Steamer to Manly. Our special 4-horse Coaches from the Spit at 10.30, and from Manly on arrival of 9.30 and 11 boats from Sydney. Refreshments, Band. Secure your ticket to-day; they are on sale here until 5 p.m. GET YOURS EARLY.

Don't leave it to the last hour; they are selling fast, and you don't want to miss this fine day's outing.

Also, don't fail to secure one of our illustrated Booklets descriptive of this—the finest Health and Holiday Resort in New South Wales.

Nicely grassed and wooded lots, gently sloping to the water.

OCEAN BEACH 3 MILES LONG, NOT BARREN ROCKS OR WASTE SWAMPS.

The Picturesque Lakes teeming with fish and wild fowl. A Sportman's Paradise.

SURF BATHING, LAKE BATHING, BOATING, FISHING, SHOOTING, at YOUR DOOR.

There's no Estate in the district to be seriously compared to this.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION. NO RESTRICTIONS.

THE ONLY ESTATE WITH WATER FRONTAGES,

THE NARRABEEN LAKES ESTATE, NARRABEEN.

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD.,
Auctioneers, 84B Pitt-street.

RIGHT AT HORNSBY JUNCTION.

19 Trains Daily to Redfern, 20 to Milson's Point. Elevation nearly 600ft. A Healthy Progressive District.

THE NEW STATION ESTATE, HORNSBY.

42 RESIDENTIAL and ORCHARD BLOCKS, from 50 x 200 to over 1½ Acre each. Torrens Title. From £1 Deposit and 10s monthly. Send for Plan. Auction on the Ground, at 3,

SATURDAY, 13th OCTOBER.

ARTHUR RICKARD and CO., Ltd., AUCTIONEERS, 84B PITT-STREET.

SUMMER HOMES SITES AT WOODFORD,

ON RICKARD'S EASY TERMS.
AUCTION SALE ON GROUND, AT 3, ON
SATURDAY, 10th NOVEMBER.

BUILDING SITES, facing the Railway, opposite Professor David's property, near the Overhead Bridge—50 Lots. Send for Plan. From £1 deposit and 10s month.

ARTHUR RICKARD AND CO., LTD., AUCTIONEERS, 84B PITT-STREET.

RAINE AND HORNE,
86 PITT-STREET.
AUCTIONEERS,
LAND AND ESTATE AGENTS,
ATTORNEYS UNDER POWER,
AND VALUATORS.

SALES OF CITY AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES EFFECTED
BY PUBLIC AUCTION AND BY PRIVATE TREATY.

VALUATIONS FOR PROBATE AND OTHER PURPOSES.
SUPERVISION AND MANAGEMENT OF ESTATES UNDERTAKEN.
RENTS COLLECTED.

TO DAIRY FARMERS, GRAZIERS, AND SPECULATORS.

THE WELL-KNOWN

MOUNT GILEAD ESTATE,

formerly the Home of the WOODHOUSE FAMILY, situated about four miles from CAMPBELLTOWN, on the APPIN-ROAD, between CAMPBELLTOWN and MENANGLE, and comprising an area of

2088 ACRES.

The Property has VERY EXTENSIVE FRONTAGES TO THE NEPEAN AND GEORGE'S RIVERS, Woodhouse Creek and Menangle Creek run on the Estate, and the CITY WATER CANAL PASSES THROUGH THE CENTRE OF THE PROPERTY. There are also dams for the conservation of water.

It has been HIGHLY IMPROVED, and divided into GRAZING and CULTIVATION PADDOCKS, and the bulk of the land has been THOROUGHLY CLEARED.

There is a quantity of FINE GROWING IRONBARK TIMBER standing on the land, and the other improvements consist of the HOMESTEAD and the NECESSARY OUTBUILDINGS for a property of this class.

GREAT ATTENTION has been paid to the construction of the requisite stalls and pens for prize cattle.

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION can be given. TORRENS TITLE.

EXTENDED TERMS CAN BE ARRANGED.

RAINE AND HORNE
have received instructions to offer the above
VALUABLE GRAZING PROPERTY
for SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 PITT-STREET, NEXT THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m. (435)

NEWTOWN,

IN ALICE-AVENUE, OFF ALICE-STREET.
AN INVESTMENT TERRACE,
comprising six (6) Double-fronted Brick VILLAS, SUBSTANTIALLY CONSTRUCTED, and of pleasing design, tiled roofs, verandahs and hearths tiled, FOUR of them contain 4 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom; and TWO of them each have hall, 3 large rooms, kitchen, washhouse, bathroom, and pantry.

TOTAL RENTS, £171 per annum.
LAND, 120ft x 80ft. TORRENS TITLE.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m. (434)

NORTH SYDNEY,

on the heights, within a few minutes of the tram.
NOS. 18 AND 20 CHUTER-STREET,
TWO PAIRS OF SEMI-DETACHED BRICK HOUSES, on stone foundations, verandahs and balconies in front, balconies at rear, slate roofs, and each containing 5 rooms, kitchen, washhouse (fixed tubs), and bathroom.

TOTAL RENTS, £78 per annum.
LAND, 33ft to CHUTER-STREET x 106ft 6in.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m. (477)

STRATHFIELD.

COTTAGE RESIDENCE,
"WAVERTREE,"
at the corner of THE BOULEVARD and ALBYN-ROAD, convenient to Strathfield Station, and in a CHOICE RESIDENTIAL LOCALITY.
A DETACHED BRICK COTTAGE, slate roof, verandah front and side, and containing hall, double drawing-room with folding doors, dining and breakfast rooms, 5 bedrooms, vestibule, lobby, kitchen, laundry, pantry, storeroom, Garden and lawn.
LAND, 58ft x 198ft.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 PITT-STREET, NEXT THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m. (472)

EXECUTORS' SALE.

PYRMONT.

1. LAND, 29ft 11in. to JOHN-STREET x 166ft through to CHURCH-STREET, to which it has a frontage of about 29ft 6in.
Fronting JOHN-STREET is a Cottage Residence, No. 122, and on the CHURCH-STREET frontages are two Houses, Nos. 9 and 11. No. 9 contains 6 rooms and kitchen, and No. 11 has 3 rooms and kitchen.
FREEHOLD TITLE.
TOTAL RENTS, £96 per annum.
2. The Land has a frontage of about 29ft 6in to WAY'S-TERRACE, Pyrmont. On it is a stone Cottage, verandah in front, containing 3 rooms and kitchen, and wooden room at rear.
The Title is Leasehold, the lease having about 12½ years to run at a Ground Rent of £7 per annum. Let at 10s per week.

RAINE and HORNE will sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, NEXT THURSDAY, 4th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.
Solicitors to the Estate, Messrs. ICETON and FAITHFULL.

SUMMER HILL.

Nos. 23 to 28 CARLTON-CRESCENT, A TERRACE of SIX HOUSES,
built of brick, slate and iron roofs. Nos. 23, 24, and 26 each contain 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry. Nos. 25, 27, and 28 each contain 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry.
TOTAL RENTS, £161 4s per annum.

CROYDON.

Nos. 2 to 12 EDWIN-STREET, just at the station.
SIX SHOPS,
built of brick. Nos. 3 to 11 each contain shop, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry. No. 12 contains shop, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and laundry.
ANNUAL RENTAL RETURN, £172 14s.

RAINE and HORNE (in conjunction with WALKER BROS.) have been instructed to sell
THE ABOVE INVESTMENT PROPERTIES
by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.
Vendor's Solicitors: Messrs. STEPHEN, JAQUES, and STEPHEN (430)

BELMORE.

POULTRY FARMS,
MARKET GARDEN BLOCKS.

CONSETT PARK,
CANART'S-ROAD.

TWO AND THREE ACRE LOTS.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 13th OCTOBER, 1906,
AT 3 P.M.

NOTE THE TERMS: £1 Deposit. £1 Monthly.
Interest Five Per Cent.
TORRENS TITLE.

Plans and particulars from the Local Agents, or the Auctioneers.

RAINE AND HORNE,
86 PITT-STREET. (433)

GLEBE POINT.

ATTRACTIVE FAMILY RESIDENCE.

KERRIBREE, No. 25 HEREFORD-STREET.

A VERY SUPERIOR AND SUBSTANTIAL HOUSE, built of Brick on stone foundation, cemented and painted, slate roof, tiled verandah (7ft wide), with ornate entrance porch, and containing hall, (7ft wide), double drawing-room (20 x 15), with folding doors, dining-room (20 x 15), breakfast-room, library, bakeovy (7ft), 6 bedrooms, large kitchen, laundry, and man's room.
The House is ARTISTICALLY PAINTED and DECORATED THROUGHOUT, and is replete with EVERY MODERN CONVENIENCE and comfort.
THE GROUNDS ARE TASTEFULLY LAID OUT IN LAWNS, FLOWER AND KITCHEN GARDENS, CONSERVATORY AND BUSHHOUSE.
THE LAND has a frontage of about 60ft to HEREFORD-STREET by a depth of about 251ft to 20ft lanes at side and rear.
Heavy Brick Wall front and part of sides, with single and double ornamental iron gates.
TORRENS TITLE.

The Auctioneers invite the special attention of those requiring

A CHOICE FAMILY RESIDENCE
to the sale of KERRIBREE.

RAINE and HORNE have been instructed to sell the above by PUBLIC AUCTION, in the Rooms, 86 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 18th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m. (479)

ROSE BAY ESTATE,
ROSE BAY,
SITUATED WITHIN A MINUTE OF THE TRAM, OVERLOOKING THE ROYAL SYDNEY GOLF LINKS, AND WITH FRONTAGES TO NEWCASTLE-STREET and OLD SOUTH-HEAD-ROAD.

FORTY-FOUR (44) CHOICE BUILDING SITES.
The Estate has been subdivided into LIBERAL-SIZED ALLOTMENTS.
The Title is TORRENS. Terms extending over THREE OR FIVE YEARS. Assistance to Build.

RAINE AND HORNE
have been instructed by the INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND, and BUILDING COMPANY, Ltd., to offer the above
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE GROUND, on
SATURDAY, 20th OCTOBER, 1906,
AT 3 P.M. (484)

MOSMAN.

HOLT'S ESTATE.

ONE OF THE BEST POSITIONS IN THIS FAVOURITE SUBURB, just off the ELECTRIC TRAM, and within EASY WALKING DISTANCE of MOSMAN'S BAY WHARF.

The allotments front
COWLES-ROAD, SPENCER-ROAD,
HOLT-AVENUE, and SPOFFORTH-STREET.
TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS:—Ten per cent. Deposit, and the Balance by thirty-six equal Monthly Instalments, with Interest at Five per cent. per annum.
Lithos on application to the Auctioneers.
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
ON THE GROUND, on
SATURDAY, 27th OCTOBER,
AT 3 P.M.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS.
Solicitor to the Estate, J. W. S. LUCAS, Esq. (485)

FIVE DOCK.

QUEECHY ESTATE,
on the ABBOTSFORD-ROAD, JUST BEYOND LYONS-ROAD.

A Subdivision of this Estate is now being prepared, and will be submitted
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION
AT AN EARLY DATE.
The LAND is EMINENTLY SUITABLE FOR BUILDING, and will have both
TRAM LINE and WATER FRONTAGES.
TORRENS TITLE.

TERMS: Small Deposit and Balance in instalments extending over three or five years.

RAINE AND HORNE,
AUCTIONEERS.
Solicitor to the Estate: R. N. HENDERSON, Esq. (486)

CROWN LAND SALE.

AT THE INFORMATION BUREAU, DEPARTMENT OF LANDS, SYDNEY, on TUESDAY, 16th OCTOBER, 1906, at noon, the following will be offered for sale by auction, viz.:—Portion 404, parish Manly Cove, county of Cumberland, area 2 roods, upset price £7 10s the lot. Terms, 25 per cent. deposit, balance in 5 equal annual instalments, with interest at 5 per cent. per annum. Further particulars may be obtained from the Crown Lands Agent, or Gazette, No. 119, of 5th September, 1906.

R. M'DONALD,
Acting Under Secretary.
(5s-49)

£27 GLORIOUS WATER VIEWS!!

MONTPELIER ESTATE, NEUTRAL BAY.

51 LEASEHOLD BUSINESS AND CHARMING VILLA SITES, MILITARY-ROAD (Tram Line), and other streets.

FOR AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,

THIS DAY, SATURDAY, SEPT. 29, 1906.

TITLE LEASEHOLD, over 71 years to run, at a Ground Rent to be determined at Auction. NO BONUS. TERMS: 6 Months' Ground Rent as Deposit. Ground Rent payable Half-yearly thereafter.
PLANS FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS, 133 PITT-STREET.

£27 WHERE 40,000 PEOPLE CONGREGATE ON HOLIDAYS.
£27 PRACTICALLY THE LAST AVAILABLE BUSINESS SITES.
£27 £100 PER FOOT DECLINED for LAND in MANLY.

THE MANLY WATER CHUTE ESTATE, MANLY

(THE SITE OF THE MANLY WATER CHUTE).

SUBDIVIDED INTO 16 BUILDING LOTS,

FRONTING THE STEYNE AND OCEAN BEACH, ASHBURNER-STREET, VICTORIA-STREET, RIGHT OPPOSITE THE POPULAR SURF-BATHING FACILITIES.

SALE ON THE GROUND,

NEXT SATURDAY, OCT. 6, 1906.

LITHOGRAPHS READY.

HARDIE AND GORMAN,
AUCTIONEERS.

SOLICITORS: JONES and JONES, Royal-chambers, Castlereagh and Hunter streets.
SURVEYORS: FISHER and NOTT, 86 Pitt-street.

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES.
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM A. BORCHARD, Esq., Incorporated Accountant.

THE NEWINGTON ESTATE,

Situate between PARRAMATTA-ROAD AND PARRAMATTA RIVER,

AUBURN.

SECTIONAL BLOCKS of 16 to 121 ACRES,
SUITABLE FOR POULTRY FARMS, PIG RAISING, OR FUTURE SUBDIVISION.
Also, ALLOTMENTS in the SILVERWATER ESTATE, and in other portions.
LITHO. FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.
TERMS: ¼ deposit, balance at 1, 2, and 3 years, at 5 per cent.

HARDIE AND GORMAN

have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, AT THEIR SALEROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET, SYDNEY, at 11.30 o'clock, on

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1906.

THE NEWINGTON ESTATE, as above.

CLANVILLE ESTATE, ROSEVILLE.

£27 RIGHT AT THE STATION.

76 BUSINESS AND VILLA SITES, FRONTING HILL-STREET, LORD-STREET, HENRY-STREET, AND ARCHIBOLD-ROAD.

LITHOS FROM THE AUCTIONEERS. TORRENS TITLE.
EASY TERMS: 10 per cent. Deposit, Balance in 3 Yearly Payments at 5 per cent. Interest.

AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND

ON SATURDAY, 13TH OCT., 1906.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS,
IN CONJUNCTION WITH G. A. WINZER, LOCAL AGENT, ROSEVILLE.

£27 SPECIAL CASH BONUS TO PERSONS BUILDING.

LARDNER'S PADDOCK, CARLTON.

LARGE BLOCKS. EXCEPTIONALLY HIGH LAND. SPLENDID SOIL. VERY EASY TERMS.
AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND,
SATURDAY, 20TH OCTOBER, 1906.
HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

SCOTLAND ISLAND,

IN SUBDIVISION,

PITTWATER, NEAR MANLY.

100 WATER-FRONTAGE BLOCKS, OCTOBER NEXT.

TERMS: 10 PER CENT. DEPOSIT, 10 PER CENT. IN 12 MONTHS, BALANCE 5 YEARS AT 5 PER CENT.

TORRENS TITLE.

HARDIE AND GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS, 133 PITT-STREET.

DESCRIPTIVE PARTICULARS FROM THE AUCTIONEERS.

£27 The Auctioneers urge inspection by intending purchasers, and will be pleased to arrange for motor boat for conveyance to the property upon application at their office.

CHARMING WATER-FRONTAGE BUNGALOW COTTAGE OF MODERN ARCHITECTURE.

"NIOKA,"
VISTA-STREET,
SANS SOUCI.

situate opposite the Residence and Grounds of the Hon. J. H. Carruthers, M.L.A., and close to the tram.

It is of Rusticated W.B., and contains 7 large rooms, bathroom, kitchen, 2 pantries, etc., at present occupied by Percy Hunter, Esq., detached man's room, washhouse. On the water frontage are boathouse and jetty.

LAND in area about 4 acres.
TITLE TORRENS.

HARDIE and GORMAN have received instructions to sell by Public Auction, at their Salerooms, 133 Pitt-street, at 11.30 o'clock, on
WEDNESDAY, 10th OCTOBER, 1906.
The above-described Property at SANS SOUCI.
Messrs. ATKINSON and WARREN, Moore-street, Vendor's Solicitors.

"HATHERLEIGH,"
NO. 55 UPPER WILLIAM-STREET, DARLINGHURST,

handy to William-street id tram.
TWO-STORY RESIDENCE, exceptionally well built of brick, with slate roof, having ver

AUCTION SALES.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LT.D

AUCTIONEERS AND VALUATORS.

SALES EFFECTED BY AUCTION OR PRIVATELY.

PROPERTIES L[illegible],

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RESIDENCE AND BUSINESS.

Strict, Competent Supervision of all Renovations and Repairs.

RENTS AND INTERESTS, Etc., COLLECTED.

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Particulars of Residences, Furnished or Unfurnished, and Rentals required, are invited for our Register "To Let."

VALUATIONS MADE FOR MORTGAGE, PROBATE, SELLING, AND OTHER PURPOSES.

SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR VALUING AND CONDUCTING SALES LOCALLY OF COUNTRY ESTATES.

BEECROFT. BEECROFT.

400ft above sea level, the PICTURESQUE SUBURB on the HORNSBY AND STRATHFIELD RAILWAY.

RORKE'S ESTATE.

Subdivided into LARGE BUILDING SITES, fronting COPELAND-STREET, HANNAH-STREET, HULL-STREET, CARDINAL-AVENUE.

A small Cottage is erected on one of the Allotments.

TORRENS TITLE, and LIBERAL TERMS. Lithographs obtainable on application to the Auctioneers.

☞Railway Tickets (9d return), available for 1.30 and 2.30 trains TO-DAY on application to the Auctioneers or Owners.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND,

THIS DAY.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., Auctioneers. VENDORS: THE INTERCOLONIAL INVESTMENT, LAND AND BUILDING CO., LTD. (3546)

MEADOWBANK TOWNSHIP,

AT THE RAILWAY STATION, COMMANDING EXTENSIVE VIEWS OF AND SITUATE CLOSE TO THE

PARRAMATTA RIVER.

WITH ITS MANY ATTRACTIONS, INCLUDING BOATING, BATHING, FISHING, Etc.

SECOND SUBDIVISION SALE OF COTTAGE AND VILLA SITES, HAVING WIDE FRONTAGES AND LIBERAL DEPTHS. TORRENS TITLE. LIBERAL TERMS.

THE NEW SUBURB.

On the HORNSBY and STRATHFIELD LINE, only 25 minutes' run of the REDFERN STATION.
LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE AT THE ROOMS OF THE AUCTIONEERS.
FREE RAILWAY TICKETS for 1.28 and 2.30 train on Day of Sale.
AUCTION SALE ON THE GROUND, 3 O'CLOCK,

NEXT SATURDAY.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, LIMITED.
AUCTIONEERS. (3580)

MARRICKVILLE, CLOSE TO ENMORE,

AND HANDY TO
ST. PETERS STATION, TRAMS AT ST. PETERS BRIDGE, AND TO THE ENMORE SECTION, AND ADJOINING VICARS' TWEED MILLS.

SMIDMORE ESTATE,

SUBDIVIDED INTO BUILDING ALLOTMENTS,
FRONTING THE
EDGEWARE-ROAD AND EDINBURGH-ROAD
AND OTHER STREETS.
LITHOGRAPHS OBTAINABLE ON APPLICATION TO THE AUCTIONEERS.

TERMS OF SALE: 10 per cent. deposit and the balance by quarterly payments, extending over 5 years. Interest, 5 per cent.

FOR POSITIVE SALE, on account of the Trustees of the Will of the Late A. M. SMIDMORE.

Messrs. MAKINSON and PLUNKETT, Eliza-beth-street, Solicitors to the Estate.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE GROUND, AT 3 O'CLOCK,

SATURDAY, 13TH OCTOBER.

RICHARDSON AND WRENCH,
LIMITED, AUCTIONEERS.
(3589)

ON THE GROUND;

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., announce the following Auction Sales in the coming month:—

THIS DAY, BEECROFT.—Rorke's Estate, fronting Copeland, Hannah, and Hull streets.

OCTOBER 6th, MEADOWBANK, Parramatta River.—The Meadowbank Township, 2nd Subdivision, situate at the Railway Station on the western side of the line.

OCTOBER 13th, MARRICKVILLE, close to ENMORE.—Smidmore's Estate, fronting Edgeware and Edinburgh roads, close to Vicar's Tweed Mills.

OCTOBER 18th, HUNTER'S HILL.—Italia Estate, situate close to Fig Tree Wharf, Lane Cove River. Water Frontages and Villa Sites.

OCTOBER 20th, STRATHFIELD.—The Waller Estate, fronting Homebush-road, opposite Fairholm-road, portion of the Golf Links.

OCTOBER 20th, RYDE, close to the Station.—New Township of Ryde, fronting main road and Hermitage-road.

OCTOBER 27th, EASTWOOD.—The Curnow Estate, fronting Rowe-street and Railway-road, 5 minutes walk from station.

OCTOBER 27th, ROSEVILLE, North Shore Line.—Roseville Heights, fronting Archbold-road, off Albert-street.

Lithographs and full particulars obtainable on application to the auctioneers. (3583)

CAPITAL INVESTMENT.

SURRY HILLS HEIGHTS.

SHOP and TWO HOUSES, Nos. 23 to 27 MARLBOROUGH-STREET, at the corner of Hilles-street. RENTAL, £127 4s per annum. They are of brick, fronts cemented and painted, other outside walls painted, on stone, slate and iron roofs, and contaiaing as follows: No. 23, balcony, shop, 3 rooms, kitchen of iron, brick stable of 4 stalls, with loft over; Nos. 25 and 27 have each verandah and balcony, 5 rooms, and kitchen, etc. LAND 45¼ x 51 1-4 ft.

This well-situated freehold property is substantially built, in good order. The position is close to Devonshire and Crown streets.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 5th October, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above-described City Property. (3612)

SUTTON FOREST,

The Sanatorium of the South, 2200ft elevation.

MOUNT VALDEMAR.

Superior Commodious Residence of brick, well built, cedar fittings, wide verandahs, 16 rooms, spacious entrances, stabling, etc., Man's Cottage, 4 rooms, orchard, lawns, shrubberies. Furniture may be taken at a valuation. Situation is on a hill, good views, and near Hill View, the Vice-Regal Residence, and residences of their Honors Justices Owen and Walker. LAND is 330 acres, close to Sutton Forest; 80 Acres only (if desired) will be sold with the residence.

The climate and picturesque delight of the district, coupled with the high-class surrounding residences, viz., the Vice-Regal Country Retreat, and those of their Honors Justices Sir William Owen and Walker, besides others well known, stamp the property as favourably situated, and worthy of attention by capitalists and home-seekers.

By order of the Estate of the late A. Tange, Esq.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER.
At our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, Sydney, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH, Ltd.

STANMORE-ROAD,

close to the Enmore tram, end of 2d section.

EIGHT BUILDING SITES,

each having frontages of 32ft to the Stanmore-road, with a depth of 90ft, extending back to a lane at the rear. Torrens title.

Liberal terms. Torrens title. Plan on view at the Rooms.

AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (3588)

NUGGETY GULLY GOLD-MINING COY., No Liability.

15 ACRES GOLD LEASES, Adamsdale, 36 miles from Bathurst, near Sofala (Gold has been proved and won in Extension Claims), together with valuable MINING PLANT, including 25-h.p. Colonial Type Boiler, 25-h.p. Engine, 15 Head 1000lb Stamper Battery, complete, and Mining Implements, as per INVENTORY now with Auctioneers.

A Chance to develop with Capital.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER,
At our Rooms, 98 PITT-STREET, at 11.30.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (3615)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

5 Detached Weatherboard COTTAGE, known as SUDBURY, contg. 5 rooms, bathroom, pantry, and kitchen. Land, 40ft x 164ft. Torrens Title. Occupied by Mrs. Hall.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on
FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property, at Ashfield. (3624)

MARRICKVILLE-ROAD AND MALAKOFF-STREET, in the

BUSINESS CENTRE AT MARRICKVILLE.

Lot 11, Section 2 (east corner), 20ft 3in x 118ft 6in back to a lane.

Lot 1, Section 2 (west corner), 26ft 9in x 105ft 11in back to a lane.

Plan on view at the Rooms. Torrens Title.

AUCTION SALE, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited. (3622)

By Order of the EXECUTORS of the Estate late WM. CARY, Esq.

CITY AND SUBURBAN FREEHOLDS.

LOT 1.—CASTLEREAGH-STREET.

Block of Land, 43ft 8jin frontage to the east side of this important thoroughfare, between Park and Bathurst streets, with a depth of 71ft. On it is Lenser's Coach Factory, No. 218 Castlereagh-street. Let at £3 a week.

☞A CENTRAL SITE upon which to erect business premises.

LAND in this BUSY STREET will in the near future be difficult to obtain, therefore now is the time to purchase.

LOT 2.—OXFORD-STREET,

TWO SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 160 and 162, of brick, fronts cemented, awning in front, and containing 5 apartments and 1 apartment respectively. RENTAL, £169 per annum.

The LAND has 34ft 9in frontage to the north side of OXFORD-STREET, between Palmer and Bourke streets, depth 30ft, width at rear 14ft 2in.

☞OXFORD-STREET is one of the BUSIEST THOROUGHFARES of the city. The CITY COUNCIL are considering the advisability of WIDENING the STREET.

LOT 3.—NEAR OXFORD-STREET.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 45 and 47 Burton-street, of brick, painted, verandahs in front, and each containing 4 rooms, kitchen, washhouse, and bathroom combined, of weatherboards.

RENTAL, £63 14s per annum.

The Land has 25ft frontage by a depth of 53ft.

☞The Dwellings, being handy to Oxford-street, Hyde Park, and business centres, are always tenanted.

LOT 4.—BOURKE and SHORT STREETS, SURRY HILLS.

TWO HOUSES, Nos. 246 and 248 BOURKE-STREET, and HOUSE, No. 1 Short-street. They are of brick, painted, verandahs and balconies to Bourke-street houses, and contain severally 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, wash shed, hall; 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom and wash shed, porch entrance; and 4 rooms, kitchen of wood and iron, bathroom part T. and G. boards. RENTAL, £137 6s per annum. LAND, 49ft 9in to Bourke-street, by 85ft along Short-street.

☞A capital block of Dwellings, at the corner of two good streets, only a few yards from Oxford-street.

LOT 5.—WOOLLOOMOOLOO.

TWO COTTAGES, Nos. 2 and 3 Turong-lane, between Riley and Forbes streets. They are of brick on stone, each containing 2 rooms and kitchen, bathroom part weatherboards. Land 45ft by 155ft. RENTAL, £26 8s per annum.

☞These are handy to William-street and Hyde Park.

LOT 6.—SURRY HILLS.

THE ATHLETIC CLUB HOTEL, at the corner of Arthur and Alexander streets. It is of brick, cemented, balcony in front, and containing bar, cellar, 11 rooms, bathroom and washhouse combined, kitchen and store-room. RENTAL, £156 per annum net.

The LAND has 29ft 6in frontage to Arthur-street, with a depth of 80ft along Alexander-street.

☞Surrounded by a large population, and in a street that runs to Moore Park.

LOT 7.—OFF GEORGE-STREET WEST.

Small DWELLING, No. 35 CARLTON-STREET, of brick, front cemented and painted, balcony, 4 rooms and kitchen, small shed. Land, 11½ft frontage by 59ft.

LOT 8.—GLEBE-ROAD.

TWO SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 19 and 21, of brick, fronts cemented and painted, awning in front, and containing 5 apartments and 1 apartment respectively. The Land has 35ft frontage by 80ft. RENTAL £— per annum.

☞Near George-street West.

LOT 9.—REDFERN.

THREE FREEHOLD HOUSES, Nos. 1, 2, and 3 WOODBURN-STREET, off Cleveland-street, near Regent-street. They are of brick, fronts cemented, painted, iron roofs. Nos. 1 and 2 have each 4 rooms, washhouse, and bath-room of wood and iron, and No. 3 has 6 rooms, washhouse of wood and iron, and stable. Land 50ft by 60ft.

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The above City and Suburban Freeholds.

S. J. BULL, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (3621)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

TOXTETH ESTATE, GLEBE POINT.

DWELLING, No. 179 WIGRAM-ROAD (west of Roseberry-street tram stopping place), of brick, front tuckpointed, verandah and balcony, half hall, 6 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse. The Land has 16ft frontage to Wigram-road, with a depth of 110ft. 3in.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by Auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above.
C. E. BYRNES, Esq., of Parramatta, is Solicitor of the Mortgagee. (3614)

☞Through error, which we regret, this property was misdescribed by advertisement in issue of Saturday, 22nd inst, the wrong number being quoted.

SPEND your 8-HOUR HOLIDAY at THIRROUL. Return Tickets, 2s. only from
KING and HUMPHERY,
190 Pitt-street.

BEECROFT, on the Highlands.—Rorke's Est. Tickets for 1.28 and 2.30 trains, This Day. R. and W.

GLEBE PROPERTIES.

1st.—TWO COTTAGES, Nos. 60 and 62 DERWENT-STREET, of brick (fronts tuckpointed), iron roofs, verandah in front. No. 60 contains hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen. No. 62, 3 rooms and kitchen. Land 40ft frontage by 126ft back to lane. Title leasehold, 63 years to run at ground rent of £3 2s 6d per annum. Rental £65 per annum.

2nd.—THREE COTTAGES and a HOUSE, Nos. 94 to 100, DERWENT-STREET, of brick (fronts tuckpointed), verandah in front. No. 94 contains 3 hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washhouse. No. 96 to 100 each 3 hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, and bathroom. Returning £161 4s per annum. Land 80ft by 120ft back to lane. Leasehold, 50 years to run at £22 2s 4d per annum. Between Mitchell-street and St. John's-road.

3rd.—MOUNT VERNON-STREET, close to Town Hall, two pair semi-detached Dwellings, of brick (tuckpointed), iron roofs, verandahs, and balconies in front, and each containing half hall, 4 rooms, and kitchen. Nos. 40 to 46, on land 50ft frontage by varying depth. RENTAL, £122 4s per annum. Leasehold, 54 years to run at £13 per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 5th October, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (3603)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MR. C. MOLONY.

GEORGE-STREET WEST,

a locality to be greatly improved by City Council.

THREE SHOPS and Dwellings, Nos. 58 to 62 GEORGE-STREET WEST, at the CORNER of Balfour-street. They are of brick on stone, awning in front—two contain each 5 apartments; one has apartments, shed. The land has 28ft 4jin to the former street, and 88ft 6in to the latter street. TITLE TORRENS.

RENTAL, £158 12s per annum.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, October 5, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above sterling investment, in an advancing portion of the city.

HARRIS-STREET, ULTIMO.

A two-story SHOP and DWELLING, No. 445 HARRIS-STREET (West side), between Fig and Quarry streets. It is built of brick, with awning and balcony in front, and containing shop, 3 rooms, and kitchen, brick building at rear. Land 20ft x 120ft extending back to Ada-lane. Title, Leasehold, 99 years from 1st December, 1877. Ground rental, £12 per annum.

RENTAL, £45 10s PER ANNUM.

AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 5th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (3613)

IN THE ESTATE LATE MARY ANN MOLONY.

TOXTETH ESTATE, GLEBE POINT.

RESIDENCE, No. 49 BOYCE-STREET, handy to tram on Glebe Point-road. It is of brick, cemented, on concrete foundation, verandah and balcony in front, and containing half hall, 5 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse; gas, city water, and sewer. LAND, 21ft 11in to Boyce-street, with a depth of 110ft extending to a lane.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, October 5, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above. (3611)

CITY AND SUBURBAN PROPERTIES.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE LATE
JOSIAH PERRY.

1.—DARLINGHURST, CITY.

SIX THREE-STORY HOUSES, Nos. 92 to 102 VICTORIA-STREET NORTH, ground on land having 119ft 11jin frontage to Victoria-street, with a depth of 90ft 11in along a right-of-way, and extending back to a lane at rear. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £353 10s PER ANNUM.

☞A SOUND INVESTMENT PROPERTY in the favourite RESIDENTIAL PORTION of the CITY, within easy walking distance of the General Post Office, and HANDY to the TRAMS at TOP of WILLIAM-STREET.

2.—NEWTOWN.

A CORNER POSITION in this POPULOUS SUBURB, close to the trams in KING-STREET. A GOOD LETTING PROPERTY.

SIX TWO-STORY HOUSES, Nos. 85 to 95, HORDERN-STREET, and EIGHT TWO-STORY HOUSES, Nos. 1 to 15 RAPER-STREET. Land 82ft x 211ft. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £416 PER ANNUM.

3.—LEICHHARDT.

IN THE BEST BUSINESS POSITION IN THIS PROGRESSIVE SUBURB.

FOUR Two-story SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 225 to 231 PARRAMATTA-ROAD, between Nelson and Refe streets, and EIGHT Two-story HOUSES, Nos. 14 to 28 JARRETT-STREET. Land having 80ft frontage to the Parramatta-road and 120ft to Jarrett-street, depth through 240ft. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £484 12s PER ANNUM.

4.—LEICHHARDT.

Situate a short distance west of the above.

TWO Two-story SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 401 and 403 PARRAMATTA-ROAD, between Reid and Elswick streets, and a COMMODIOUS BOOT FACTORY, fronting JARRETT-STREET. Land 40ft frontage to Parramatta-road, 60ft to Jarrett-street, depth through 210ft. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £283 12s PER ANNUM.

5.—LEICHHARDT.

A Two-story SHOP (Bakery) and DWELLING, No. 413 PARRAMATTA-ROAD, with detached stabling premises. Land 20ft x 206ft, extending back to Jarrett-street. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £46 16s PER ANNUM.

6.—ENMORE.

Situate a short distance south of the Enmore Tram Section.

FIVE Two-story HOUSES, Nos. 14 to 22 NEWINGTON-ROAD (late Emily-street), at the corner of Fotheringham-street, only a few yards off Enmore-road. Land 70ft x 180ft.

RENTAL, £120 PER ANNUM.

7.—SUMMER HILL.

Immediately opposite the Railway Station, on the southern side of the line.

SIX Semi-detached COTTAGES (known as Treby, Penrose, Bryn, Weyford, Trefaen, and Roma), fronting CARLTON-CRESCENT, a short distance east of LACKEY-STREET. Land about 110ft 6in x 160ft on one side, and 134ft on the other. Torrens Title.

RENTAL, £201 10s PER ANNUM.

8.—SUMMER HILL.

A detached COTTAGE, known as Carlton, fronting CARLTON-CRESCENT, a short distance east of Lackey-street. They are of brick, fronts cemented, painted, iron roofs. No. 1 and 2 have each 4 rooms, washhouse, and bath-room of wood and iron, and No. 3 has 6 rooms, washhouse of wood and iron, and stable. Land 50ft by 60ft.

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The above City and Suburban Freeholds.

S. J. BULL, Esq., is Solicitor of the Estate. (3621)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

9.—SUMMER HILL.

Opposite to Railway Station, close to the above.

A Capital BUILDING SITE, comprising Lots 29 and 30, Section 8, UNDERWOOD ESTATE, being 104ft 6in frontage to CARLTON-CRESCENT, with a depth of 156ft 8in on one side and 116ft 4in on the other. Torrens Title.

10.—HOMEBUSH.

On the Southern Side of the Line, choice positions, on this well-known UNDERWOOD ESTATE, viz.,

A.—Section 4, Lots 5 to 7, 2 ACRES 23¾ PERCHES, 375ft to ROCHESTER-STREET, between Abbotsford and Broughton roads, depth 280ft.

B.—Section 11, Lot 1 to 4, 2 and 3 roods 15¼ Perches, 300ft to ROCHESTER-STREET, and 450ft to Broughton-road.

C.—Section 12, Lots 22 to 24, 1 ACRE 1 ROOD 34 PERCHES, 209ft 4in to COVENTRY-ROAD, and 233ft 11in to HOMEBUSH CRESCENT, depth on the eastern boundary 295ft 6in, and 244ft on the southern line.

D.—Section 1, Lot 17, 1 rood 12¼ perches, 139ft 11in, to BERESFORD-ROAD, depth 246ft 11in on one side, and 206ft 3in on the other, extending to a point.

11.—FLEMINGTON.

On both sides of the Railway, and close to the Sale Yards.

Elevated Sites on the well-known UNDERWOOD ESTATE, viz.,

A.—Section 3, Lots 13 and 14, 1 rood 24½ perches, 100ft to HAMMERSMITH-ROAD, depth 175ft.

B.—Lots 18 and 19, 1 rood 24½ perches, 100ft to HAMMERSMITH-ROAD and 175ft to PARKES-STREET.

C.—Section 8, Lot 5, 1 rood 4½ perches, 35ft 6in to MARLBOROUGH-ROAD, depth 200ft, width at rear 35ft 11in.

D.—Lot 16, 50ft to HAMMERSMITH-ROAD, depth 230ft.

E.—Section 19, Lots 8, 9, and 10, 3 roods 7½ perches, 206ft 3in to EASTBOURNE-ROAD, 60ft 7in to HORNSEY-ROAD, depth through 412ft.

12.—VILLAGE OF MONGA.

Lots 7 and 10, Section 5, and Lot 4, Section 8, each ¼-acre, all of which front Clyde-street.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above City, Suburban, and Country Properties, full particulars of which will appear in future issues.
The whole of the Homebush and Flemington Lands are Torrens Title. (3620)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTOR ESTATE LATE MRS. C. A. HUTCHINSON.

LOT 1.—STANMORE.—Close to Newington College, and within an easy distance of the Railway Station, STROUD, a two-story RESIDENCE, fronting MIDDLETON-STREET, south of the Stanmore-road. Land, 40ft x 131ft back to lane.

LOT 2.—KATOOMBA.—Building Site, Lot 4, Section 5, of North's Subdivision, having 50ft frontage to the BATHURST-ROAD, depth 108ft. Torrens Title.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, OCTOBER 12, at 11 o'clock,
The above Property. Full particulars in a future issue. (3608)

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.

ASHFIELD.

A corner Block of Land, having 100ft frontage to JOHN-STREET and 210ft to LUCY-STREET, with a depth of 124ft on the north side; together with the TWO two-story HOUSES, Nos. 2 and 4 LUCY-STREET, thereon.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 13th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above corner property at Ashfield. Full particulars in a future issue. (3617)

HOMEBUSH.

Healthy, with its crisp, dry atmosphere, and full train facilities (quick and slow).

PAIR of neat VILLA COTTAGES, well built of brick, tuckpointed front, slate roof, each verandahs, hall, one double room, dining-room, reception-room, four bedrooms, kitchen (on ground floor), three upstairs, bathroom, 2 pantries, kitchen, laundry, washhouse (part wood), fuel shed, stabling premises of wood. LAND 100 feet frontage to BURLINGTON-ROAD, depth 400 feet through to ABBOTSFORD-ROAD; all the 200 feet on latter frontage being vacant, as well as parts of Burlington-road, for 8-ther buildings if desired.

Situation is select, and convenient to Station.

AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 12th OCTOBER,
At our Rooms, 98 Pitt-street, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd. (3594)

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS ESTATE LATE FREDERICK CLISBOLD.

CASTLEREAGH-STREET, CITY.

BLOCK OF LAND, having 25ft 3in, with a depth of 52ft 6in, together with the old House, No. 291 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, thereon, situate between Goulburn and Campbell streets, an improving portion of the city, close to the Central Railway Station.

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The above CITY PROPERTY. Full particulars in a future issue. (3620)

BEECROFT, on the Highlands.—Rorke's Est. Tickets for 1.28 and 2.30 trains, This Day. R. and W.

BY ORDER OF THE EXECUTORS OF THE ESTATE OF THE LATE WM. TUNKS, ESQ.

CITY AND SUBURBAN FREEHOLDS.

LOT 1.—CASTLEREAGH and BATHURST STREETS.

VALUABLE and EXTENSIVE CORNER BLOCK of LAND, having frontages of
99 FEET 4 INCHES to CASTLEREAGH-STREET,
and
71 FEET to BATHURST-STREET.

The corner is known as the Standard Livery and Bait Stables, and fronting Castlereagh-street are Two SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 220 and 222.

RENTAL, £317 4s PER ANNUM.

☞A splendid area upon which to erect a Terrace of Shops or a factory.

TORRENS TITLE.

LOT 2.—BATHURST-STREET and WASHINGTON-PLACE, a few feet west of Sussex-street.

CORNER SHOP and TWO HOUSES, Nos. 18, 20, and 22, Bathurst-street, a little west of Sussex-street.

THE LAND has 44 feet to north side of BATHURST-STREET WEST, 70 feet to east side of WASHINGTON-PLACE, and 44 feet to lane at rear.

☞A capital BLOCK for a MILL, FACTORY, or WAREHOUSE.

LOT 3.—NORTH SYDNEY.

That delightfully situated and MASSIVELY BUILT RESIDENCE, known as FERNEZE, with TWO ACRES of GROUNDS on the east side of WALKER-STREET, between RIDGE and McLAREN STREETS, and only 1 minute from tram (Miller-street).

☞This Choice Property is opposite the Homes of C. M. Palmer, Esq., and E. J. Turton, Esq. It will be offered in 1 or 3 lots. Torrens Title.

LOT 4.—NORTH SYDNEY.

TERRACE of THREE faithfully-built HOUSES, Nos. 166, 168, and 170 WALKER-STREET, between Mount and Berry streets. RENTAL, £204 per annum.

The LAND has about 60 feet frontage with a depth of about 120 feet back to lane.

LOT 5.—NORTH SYDNEY.

VACANT BUILDING LAND, about 43 feet frontage to WALKER-STREET (adjoining Lot 4), with depth of 120 feet back to a lane.

LOT 6.—NORTH SYDNEY, opposite PARK.

THREE SPLENDID BUILDING SITES, each 44 feet frontage to RIDGE-STREET, between Walker and Alfred streets, with the GREAT DEPTH of 330 feet.

☞No better building land now obtainable on North Sydney than these magnificent Lots.

LOT 7.—NORTH SYDNEY.

BRICK COTTAGE, erected on land having 53 feet frontage to the west side of MERLIN-STREET, between Falcon and Ernest streets.

☞Close to Tram and Cammeray Park.

LOT 8.—NORTH SYDNEY.

CHOICE BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, 62 feet frontage to south side of ERNEST-STREET, depth 320 feet.

☞Opposite Cammeray Park, a few yards west of Merlin-street, and handy to tram.

☞CLARKE and SOLOMONS will drive intending purchasers to view the North Sydney Properties.

LOT 9.—NEAR RYDE.

SUBDIVISION BLOCK of 152 ACRES, having a large frontage to LANE COVE-ROAD, near main road, and being part of Richardson's 75 acre grant.

LOT 10.—MANLY COVE.

SUBDIVISION BLOCK, 5 ACRES 1 ROOD 24 PERS., being Block 41, Village of Balgowlah, having large frontages to Condamine, Wood, and Griffiths streets.

☞Close to Sydney-road.

LOT 11.—BALGOWLAH, MANLY COVE.

THE UNSOLD LOTS of Tunks' Subdivision, fronting Woodland, Sea View, West, Condamine, and William streets, in 6 lots.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., in conjunction with CLARKE and SOLOMONS, of North Sydney, will Sell by Auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, October 12, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above, full particulars of which will be published in a few days. In the meantime, CARDS to VIEW Fernese can be obtained at the Rooms.

Messrs. JONES and JONES are Solicitors of the Estate. (3619)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES ESTATE LATE F. CLISSOLD, Esq.

TURRAMURRA,

ON THE NORTH SHORE LINE.

A VALUABLE SUBDIVISION BLOCK, IN AREA
57 ACRES AND 18 PERCHES,
having frontages to
KURING-GAI CHASE-ROAD,
BURNS-ROAD, AND CLISSOLD-ROAD.

Torrens Title. Plan on view at Rooms.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above, Land at Turramurra.
SUITABLE FOR SUBDIVISION. (3605)

BY ORDER OF THE PERMANENT TRUSTEE CO. OF NEW SOUTH WALES, Limited.
IN THE ESTATE LATE RICHARD N. SOMERVILLE.

NORTH SHORE LINE.

1.—ARTARMON.—BUILDING SITE, Nos. 28 and 29, Section 1, Artarmon Estate (Ltd. subdiv.), 80ft frontage to Jersey-road, depth 150ft back to a lane, close to the station, on the southern side of the line.

2.—KILLARA.—A capital Site or a Cottage, No. 24 Green Gate Est., 99ft frontage to Green Gate-road, depth 142ft.

E. TREVOR JONES, Esq., Rond-street, Solicitor to the Estate.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock,
The above Land. Plans on view at the Rooms. (3601)

BY ORDER OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ESTATE LATE THOS. McCULLOCH, Esq.

FREEHOLDS. NEAR OXFORD-STREET, and at DARLINGHURST AND ASHFIELD.

Lot 1.—CROWN and BURTON STREETS.—CORNER SHOP and TWO HOUSES, Nos. 227 to 231 CROWN-STREET, rental £263 16s per annum.

Lot 2.—CROWN-STREET, a few feet north of Burton-street.—Residence, No. 246, on land 18ft frontage by 90ft back to lane. Rental £41 12s per annum.

Lot 3.—BURTON-STREET.—House, No. 24, returning £65 per annum. Land 21ft frontage by 68ft.

Lot 4.—BURTON and BOURKE STREETS.—TERRACE of TEN COTTAGES, Nos. 70 to 88 BURTON-STREET, at corner of Bourke-street. Rental £234 PER ANNUM.

Lot 5.—DARLINGHURST.—THREE HOUSES, Nos. 274 to 278 VICTORIA-STREET. RENTAL £109 4s per annum. The land extends to Craigend-street. This frontage is varied, and suited for two houses.

Lot 6.—DARLINGHURST.—HOUSE, No. 283 LIVERPOOL-STREET, at the corner of Broughton-street. Rent £1 per week. Land 19ft by 90ft, lane at rear.

Lot 7.—ASHFIELD.—Brick Cottage, on land at the corner of LIVERPOOL-ROAD and BRUCE-STREET.

RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above City and Suburban Freeholds, full particulars of which will appear in future advertisements.

DAWSON, WALDRON, and GLOVER are Solicitors of the Estate.

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RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Limited, will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Sydney, on FRIDAY, 19th October, at 11.30 a.m.,
The above Deepwater Frontage at Morpeth, Hunter River.

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Only a short distance East of the tram terminus, HIGH-STREET, close to Victoria-avenue. A Block of Land, having 150ft 6in frontage, with a depth of 175ft; also a Block, having 117ft 6in frontage, with a depth of 175ft along the Park boundary.

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AUCTION SALE at the ROOMS, PITT-STREET, on FRIDAY, 19th OCTOBER, at 11 o'clock.

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FUNERALS.

A REQUIEM MASS for the repose of the Souls of the faithful departed interred in the Roman Catholic Cemeteries at Rookwood and Necropolis Extension, will be celebrated at 9.15 a.m. on TUESDAY NEXT, October 2, in the Mortuary Chapel at Rookwood.

BECKHAUS—The Friends of Mrs. J. BECKHAUS and FAMILY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly loved HUSBAND and FATHER; to leave his late residence, Cooper-street, Strathfield, THIS DAY, at 2.15 p.m., for Rookwood Cemetery, via Strathfield station.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Sydney, Burwood, etc.

BOOKER.—The Friends of Messrs. WALTER, FRANK, HORATIO, and HARRY NELSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved AUNT, Fanny Booker, which will leave our Funeral Parlours, 810-12 George-street, city (next Christ Church), THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for Independent Cemetery, Necropolis.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors, etc.

CURRIN.—The Funeral of the late CHARLES HENRY CURRIN will take place THIS DAY, at 3 p.m., in C. of England Cemetery, Rookwood.
GEORGE ANDREWS, Undertaker,
'Phone, 155 N. 60 Australia-street, Newtown.

FITZSIMONS.—The Funeral of the late Mrs. J. J. FITZSIMONS will leave her late residence, 18 Napoleon-street, Roselle, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for Wesleyan Cemetery, Field of Mars.
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Balmain Branches, 114 Weston-road, and 7 Beattie-street.

HAMMOND.—The Friends of the late Mrs. ISABELLA HAMMOND (and of her Family) are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will leave her late residence, 2 Hanover-street, Waterloo, on MONDAY AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
J. McDCALF, Undertaker, Redfern.

ILLINGWORTH.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. JAMES ILLINGWORTH are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, 99 Ryan-street, Lilyfield, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Head Office, Harris-street.

ILLINGWORTH.—The Friends of Messrs. WILLIAM and JOHN ILLINGWORTH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly loved BROTHER, James; to leave his late residence, 99 Ryan-street, Lilyfield, THIS AFTERNOON, at 2 o'clock, for Balmain Cemetery.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Balmain, Summer Hill, etc.

O'CONNELL.—The Friends of the late Mr. MORGAN O'CONNELL are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, to leave his late residence, 17 Henry-street, Surry Hills, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30, for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
T. DIXON, Undertaker,
29 Oxford-street,
Telephone, 185. Hyde Park.

O'CONNELL.—The Friends of Miss ESTHER O'CONNELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her beloved BROTHER, Morgan O'Connell; to leave his late residence, 17 Henry-street, Surry Hills, THIS SATURDAY, at 1.30 for R.C. Cemetery, Rookwood.
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O'CONNELL.—The Friends of Mr. MORTIMER O'CONNELL are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his beloved FATHER, Morgan O'Connell; to leave his late residence, 17 Henry-street, Surry Hills, THIS AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis, via Newtown Station.
COFFILL and COMPANY,
Sydney, Marrickville, etc.

ROBERTS.—The Friends of Mrs. PHILLIP McGOVERN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of her late dearly beloved FATHER, Edward Roberts, which will leave his late residence, Renwick-street, Drummoyne, THIS Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for the Church of England Cemetery, Field of Mars.
WOOD and COMPANY, Funeral Directors.

ROCHFORT.—The Funeral of the late Mr. CHARLES J. ROCHFORT, late of Ridge-street, North End, will take place THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 4, at St. Thomas' Church of England Cemetery, North Sydney.
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STANFORD.—The Friends of the deceased Mr. WILLIAM HENRY STANFORD are invited to attend his Funeral; to leave his late residence, Model Laundry, Young-street, Paddington, THIS SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 2.45, for Waverley Cemetery.
REUBEN W. THOMAS, 44 York-street, Tel., 1784.

WOLLEDGE.—The Funeral of the late Miss ALICE WOLLEDGE will take place THIS (Saturday) AFTERNOON, at 2.30, for St. Stephen's Church of England Cemetery, Penrith, on arrival of 1.40 p.m. train from Sydney.
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NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRD CALL of Twopence per Share has been made in the SUNLIGHT GOLD-MINING COMPANY, NO LIABILITY, payable to the undersigned at the Registered Office of the Company, Stock Exchange-building, 113 Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th day of October, 1906.
H. H. GREENSTONE,
Secretary.
Sydney, September 21st, 1906.

THE BELMORE COPPER MINING COMPANY, No Liability.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Directors have made a CALL (the first) of One Shilling per Share on the Contributing Shares (new issue) in the above Company, payable to me, at the Company's Office (office of Reginald Sullivan, Solicitor), Post Office-chambers, 211A Pitt-street, Sydney, on WEDNESDAY, 10th October, 1906. By order of the Board, H. R. WILSON, Secretary, Sydney, 28th September, 1906.

YARRANDERIE SILVER-MINING COMPANY, No Liability, N.S.W.—NOTICE is hereby given that a CALL (the 17th) of Threepence per Share has been made on the Contributing Shares in this Company, payable at this office on WEDNESDAY, 10th day of October, 1906. Notice is hereby given that a DIVIDEND (the 25th) of Ninepence for share, free of income tax, will be payable at the office of the Company, upon all shares on and after 10th October, 1906. Transfer Books will be Closed from 4th to 8th October, 1906, inclusive. By order of the Board. THOS. MACGREGOR, Manager, Yickery's-cham., 82 Pitt-st, Syd., Sept. 20.

TO OUR FRIENDS IN THE COUNTRY.

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SHIPPING.

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Sydney Harbour Trust Office,
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28th September, 1906.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a Diver's Punt will be moored during the ensuing six weeks in the locality of a line between White Horse Point and the Fitzroy Dock in connection with the examination of submarine pipes.
The following signals will be exhibited:—
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HAROLD F. NORRIE,
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